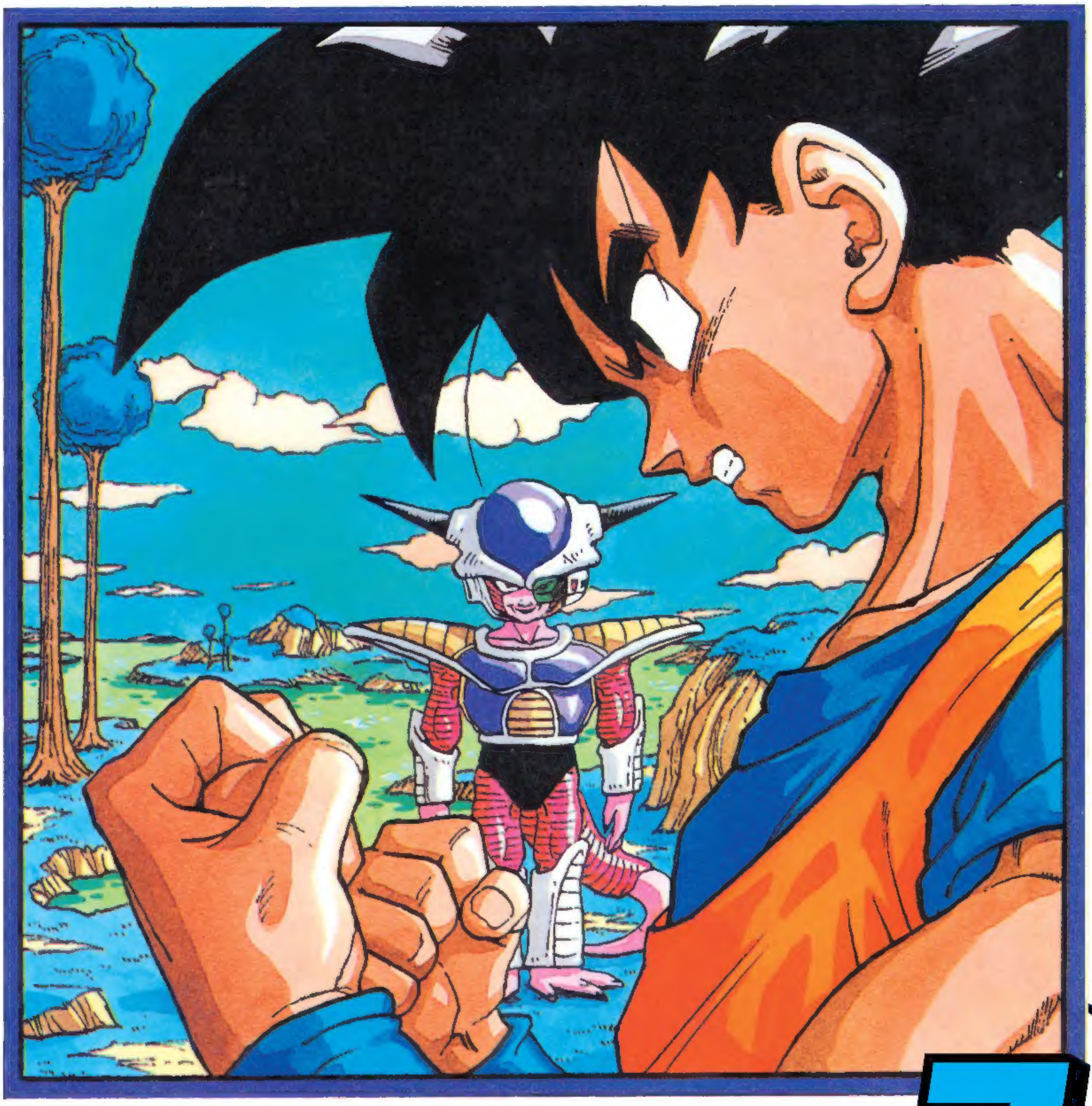
DRAGON BALL Z

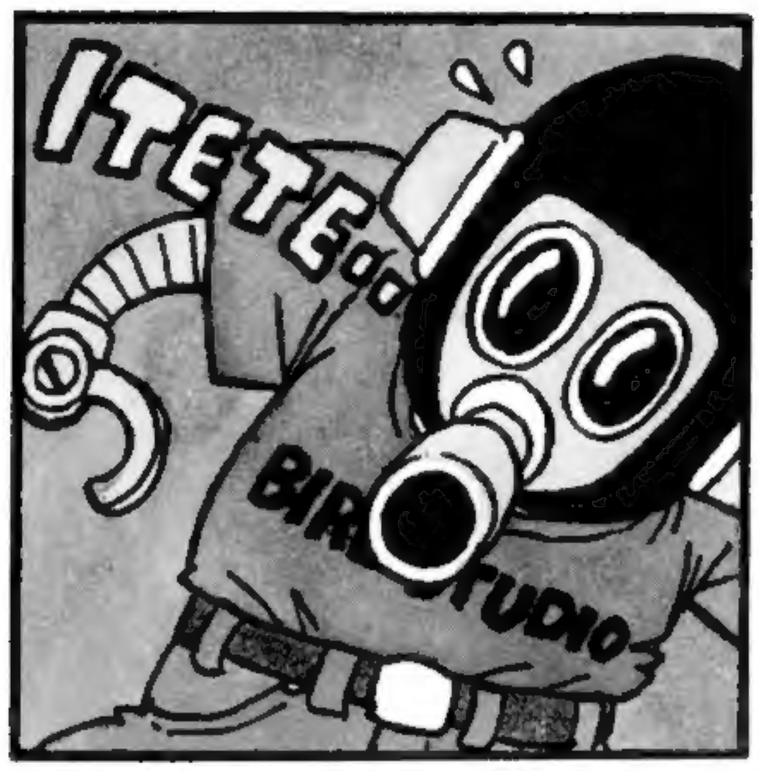


SHONEN JUMP MANGA

Story & Art by

Akira Toriyama

volume 7



鳥　山　　明

I am fairly confident about my health. I hardly ever get stiff shoulders, but recently, my right hand has been sore and it's getting to the point where it's painful. When I think about it, it's been almost eleven years of straight manga-drawing since I started **Dr. Slump** on through to **Dragon Ball**, and I haven't had much time off. Hey, maybe a doctor will force me to take three months off! (Though actually, my hand has been fine since yesterday…darn it!)

–Akira Toriyama, 1990

Artist/writer Akira Toriyama burst onto the manga scene in 1980 with the wildly popular **Dr. Slump**, a science fiction comedy about the adventures of a mad scientist and his android "daughter." In 1984 he created his hit series **Dragon Ball**, which ran until 1995 in Shueisha's best-selling magazine **Weekly Shonen Jump**, and was translated into foreign languages around the world. Since **Dragon Ball**, he has worked on a variety of short series, including **Cowa!**, **Kajika**, **SandLand**, and **Neko Majin**, as well as a children's book, **Toccio the Angel**. He is also known for his design work on video games, particularly the **Dragon Warrior** RPG series. He lives with his family in Japan.

DRAGON BALL Z VOL. 7
The SHONEN JUMP Graphic Novel Edition

This graphic novel is number 23 in a series of 42.

STORY AND ART BY
AKIRA TORIYAMA

ENGLISH ADAPTATION BY
GERARD JONES

Translation/Lillian Olsen
Touch-Up Art & Lettering/Wayne Truman
Cover Design/Izumi Evers & Dan Ziegler
Graphics & Design/Sean Lee
Senior Editor/Jason Thompson

Managing Editor/Elizabeth Kawasaki
Director of Production/Noboru Watanabe
Vice President of Publishing/Alvin Lu
Sr. Director of Acquisitions/Rika Inouye
Vice President of Sales & Marketing/Liza Coppola
Publisher/Hyoe Narita

DRAGON BALL© 1984 by BIRD STUDIO. All rights reserved. First published in Japan in 1984 by SHUEISHA Inc., Tokyo. English translation rights in the United States of America and Canada arranged by SHUEISHA Inc. The stories, characters, and incidents mentioned in this publication are entirely fictional. No portion of this book may be reproduced or transmitted in any form or by any means without written permission from the copyright holders. Printed in Canada.

In the original Japanese edition, DRAGON BALL and DRAGON BALL Z are known collectively as the 42-volume series DRAGON BALL. The English DRAGON BALL Z was originally volumes 17-42 of the Japanese DRAGON BALL.

Published by VIZ Media, LLC
P.O. Box 77010 • San Francisco, CA 94107

The SHONEN JUMP Graphic Novel Edition
10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2
First printing, March 2003
Second printing, July 2005




RATED
A
FOR
ALL AGES
PARENTAL ADVISORY
DRAGON BALL is rated A for All Ages. It contains fantasy violence. It is recommended for all ages.



SHONEN JUMP GRAPHIC NOVEL

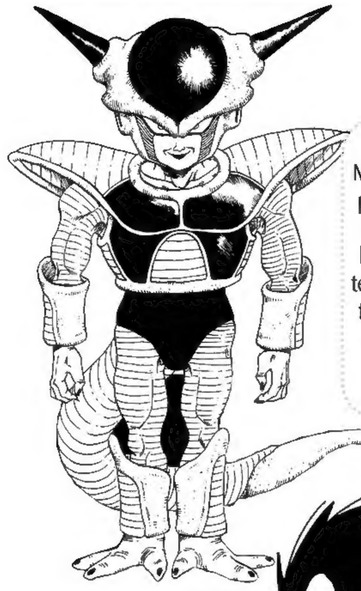


DRAGON BALL Z

Vol. 7

DB: 23 of 42

STORY AND ART BY
AKIRA TORIYAMA



Freeza

Freeza
Major landowner and possible emperor of the universe. After learning of the existence of Dragon Balls from Vegeta, he has come to Namek to fulfill his wish for immortality.



Dende

Dende
A young Namekian who Gohan and Kuririn befriended.



Zarbon

Zarbon
Freeza's right-hand man, he has the power to transform into a monstrous reptile.



Vegeta

Vegeta
The prince of planet Vegeta, homeworld of the Saiyans. He once served Freeza, but has betrayed him in order to seek ultimate power himself.



Nail

Nail
A Namekian warrior, its first duty is to defend the Great Elder.

Son Goku was Earth's greatest hero, and the Dragon Balls—which can grant any wish—were Earth's greatest treasure. When Vegeta attacked Earth to steal them, Goku and his friends managed to fend him off, but not before many heroes died and the Dragon Balls themselves were destroyed. In search of a way to wish their friends back to life, Bulma, Gohan and Kuririn went into outer space to planet Namek, where the Dragon Balls were originally made. But Namek had been invaded by Freeza, Vegeta's former master—as well as by Vegeta himself! While our heroes risk their lives to save the Namekians, the rebel Vegeta fights Freeza's minions, seemingly ending in Vegeta's defeat. Meanwhile, Goku heads to Namek via spaceship, to rescue his stranded friends and his son...

THE MAIN CHARACTERS

Bulma
Goku's oldest friend, Bulma is a scientific genius. She met Goku while on a quest for the seven magical Dragon Balls which, when gathered together, can grant any wish.

Son Goku
The greatest martial artist on Earth, he owes his strength to the training of Kame-Sen'nin and Kaiô-sama, and the fact that he's one of the alien Saiyans. To get even stronger, he is training under 30 times Earth's gravity.

The Great Elder
The sole survivor of a cataclysm that nearly destroyed all the Namekians. All the current Namekians (except Piccolo) are its children.



Bulma

The Great Elder

Son Goku

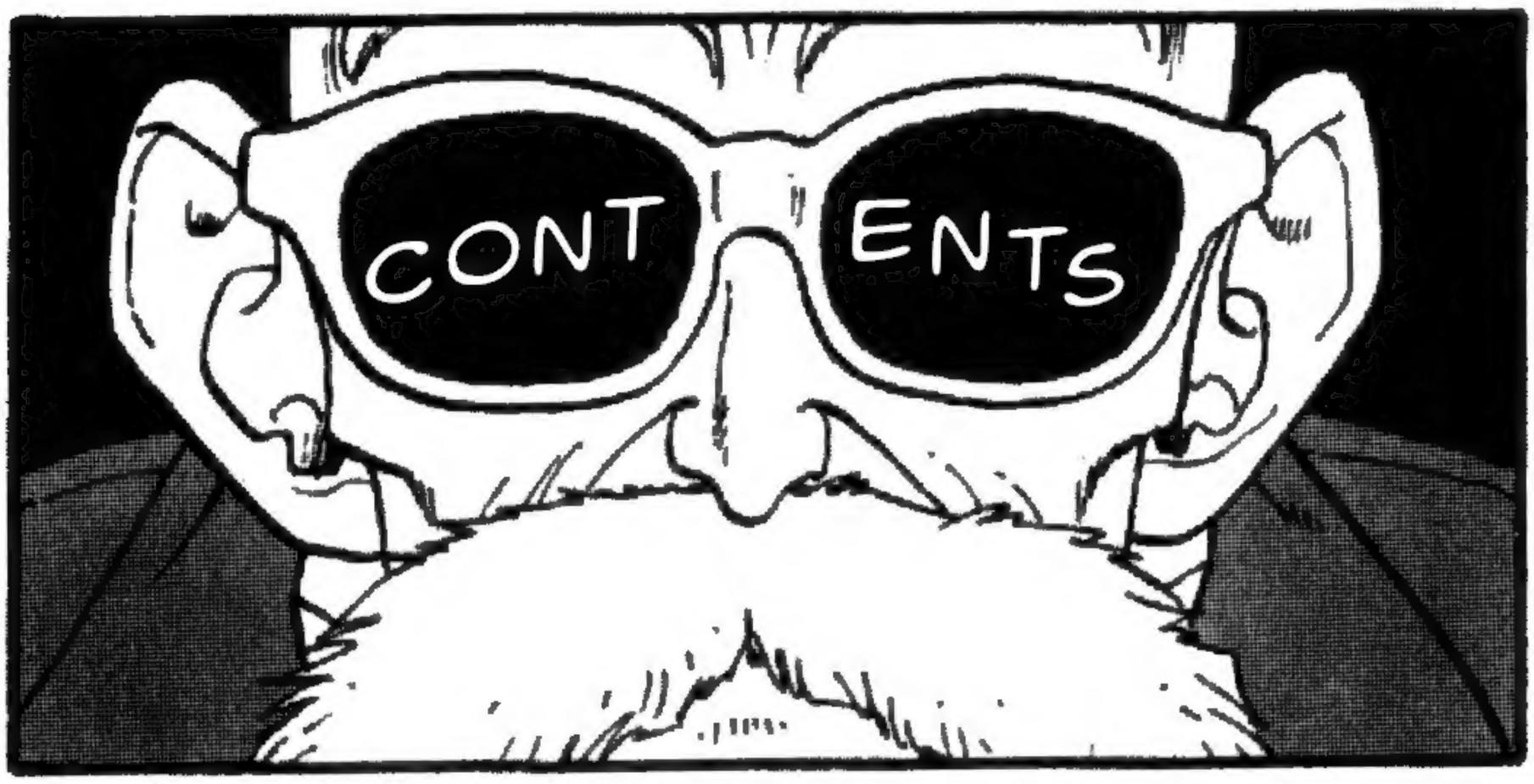
Son Gohan

Kuririn

Kuririn
Goku's former martial arts schoolmate.

Son Gohan
Goku's four-year-old son, a half-human, half-Saiyan with hidden reserves of strength. He was trained by Goku's former enemy Piccolo.

DRAGON BALL Z 7



Tale 71 The Dragon Balls Change Hands 7

Tale 72 Vegeta's Laughter, Freeza's Rage 22

Tale 73 Reunion of Terror! 36

Tale 74 Vegeta in Overdrive! 50

Tale 75 Brains and Brawn 64

Tale 76 Premonitions of War 78

Tale 77 The Enemy of My Enemy... 92

Tale 78 The Ginyu Force 107

Tale 79 Five Deadly Fighters 122

Tale 80 Gurd's Psychic Powers 136

Tale 81 Vegeta vs. Reacoom 150

Tale 82 Vegeta vs. Reacoom, Part 2 164

Title Page Gallery 178

DRAGON BALL
ドラゴンボール

DBZ:71 • The Dragon Balls Change Hands



AND IT SEEMS THAT WHAT THEY SEEK... ARE THE DRAGON BALLS...

THOSE MONSTERS HAVE SLAIN NEARLY ALL MY CHILDREN... THE GRIEF WEIGHS HEAVY UPON ME...

I NEVER DREAMED THAT THE SPHERES OF HOPE... THE PROOF OF THE WISDOM AND STRENGTH OF THE CHILDREN OF PLANET NAMEK... WOULD EVER LEAD TO SUCH HORROR...

I'LL NEVER GIVE IT UP TO THEM... I PROMISE... !

UM... ALLOW ME TO C-COME STRAIGHT TO THE POINT, SIR... PLEASE LET ME BORROW YOUR DRAGON BALL...

THERE ARE DRAGON BALLS ON EARTH AS WELL?! THEN...A NAMEKIAN...?

WHAT...?!

IF THESE PEOPLE FROM EARTH TRIUMPH, THEN THE DRAGON BALLS ON THEIR PLANET WILL ALSO BE REBORN!

I IMPLORE YOU ALSO, ELDER!

BUT THEN, HE WAS A SCION OF THE DRAGON CLAN... THOSE WHO CREATED DRAGON BALLS....

IT MUST HAVE BEEN THE CHILD OF KATATZ! I AM SURPRISED... I WOULD NOT HAVE THOUGHT THAT AN INFANT COULD HAVE TRAVELED SAFELY SO FAR...

I HEARD THAT A LONG TIME AGO, AT A TIME OF CRISIS FOR YOUR PLANET, HE GOT ON A SPACESHIP AND ESCAPED TO EARTH...

Y-YES, SIR.

...A SUPER SAIYAN...?

...IS IT POSSIBLE THAT HE WAS...

IT IS TRUE THAT THE SAIYANS ARE TERRIBLE, BUT...BUT TO HAVE KILLED THE PRODIGY OF THE DRAGON CLAN...

BY A SAIYAN...?

YOU SPEAK AS THOUGH THE CHILD DIED... WAS IT OLD AGE...? OR WAS HE KILLED...?

KILLED. BY A SAIYAN CALLED VEGETA... WHO'S HERE RIGHT NOW...

W-WHAT'S THAT?!

HUH?!

IF YOU PLEASE, I WOULD LIKE TO PROBE YOUR PAST.

WHAT... ?

SON OF EARTH... WOULD YOU BE SO KIND AS TO STEP OVER HERE...?

HUH ?

HMF! HE SPLIT IN ***TWO***, LONG AGO... AFTER EVIL ENTERED INTO HIM!

...MY PAST... ?

I WILL GIVE YOU THIS DRAGON BALL...

WELL... ALL RIGHT... YOUR INTENTION IS PURE, AND YOUR COURAGE SO FAR IS ADMIRABLE...

...BUT YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT YOU WILL PROBABLY NOT GET YOUR WISH...

ONE... ?

HOW FOOLISH...HE DIMINISHED BY HALF THE POWER WITH WHICH HE WAS GIFTED AT BIRTH! IF HE HAD COME BACK TOGETHER AS ***ONE***, HE MIGHT NOT HAVE HAD TO DIE...

MY LIFE, UNFORTUNATELY, WILL PROBABLY ONLY LAST A FEW MORE DAYS. IN THAT TIME, CAN YOU TAKE FROM OUR FOES THE BALLS THEY HAVE ALREADY GATHERED? I FEAR IT IS IMPOSSIBLE. AND WHEN I DIE, THE DRAGON BALLS WILL ALSO DISAPPEAR...

WH-WHY'S THAT...?

ANYTHING'S BETTER THAN LETTING ***THEM*** HAVE ETERNAL LIFE!

WELL...THAT'S IT, THEN! CAN'T BE HELPED! I'LL PROTECT THIS DRAGON BALL WITH MY LIFE!

...I SEE...

...

IN FACT, YOU ARE WASTING INNER STRENGTH THAT STILL LIES ASLEEP.

BY THE WAY, YOU HAVE EXCEPTIONAL STRENGTH FOR AN EARTHLING...

I CANNOT MOVE FROM HERE ANY MORE...IF THE ONE CALLED FREEZA COMES HERE, NOT EVEN NAIL HERE WOULD BE ABLE TO DEFEND ME...

PLEASE DO SO...

HUH?! INNER STRENGTH?!

I CAN AWAKEN IT FOR YOU.

...

IN FACT...
I THINK I'M ALREADY PAST MY LIMITATIONS...
HEH....

N-NO WAY...!
IF I HAD ANY *MORE* POWER I'D KNOW ABOUT IT!
I'VE TRAINED SO MUCH!

...

I HOPE YOU WILL BE ABLE... TO ESCAPE THEIR CLUTCHES.

TH-
THIS IS...
THIS IS...

W-
WHOA...
!!

I'VE NEVER FELT THIS MUCH POWER !!!!!

AWE-SOME !!!!!

OH !!

HM ?

UM... COULD YOU DO THIS TO LITTLE KIDS?! I...I MEAN...DOES THIS SHORTEN YOUR LIFE OR ANYTHING...?

IF THERE IS SLEEPING POWER, I COULD BRING IT OUT EVEN IF IT IS FROM A CHILD.

I ONLY AWAKENED WHAT WAS YOURS. IT HAS NO BEARING ON THE LIFE I HAVE LEFT.

I-I-IT'S LIKE I'M BEIN' REBORN !!!

THANK YOU!!! THANK YOU!!!

WE CAN USE ALL THE HELP WE CAN FIND.

BRING HIM HERE.

C-COULD I BRING MY FRIEND?! I'VE GOT A FEELING HE'S GOT A LOT OF POWER IN HIM HE HASN'T TAPPED!

DENDE, WAIT HERE! I'LL BRING GOHAN AND COME RIGHT BACK!

BE CAREFUL... !

UM... WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH THIS DRAGON BALL?

I-I'LL BRING HIM RIGHT OVER!!

TAKE IT WITH YOU. I HAVE LEFT THE FUTURE OF THIS PLANET AND THE UNIVERSE TO YOU...

HYUUU

HO

TH-THIS IS INCREDIBLE!!! I NEVER KNEW I HAD SO MUCH POWER... !!!

AT THIS RATE I COULD BRING GOHAN IN A FEW HOURS !!!

SHOOOOM

YAH !

HAH !

COME LOOK... !

HEY! GOHAN !!

TATATA !!!

HM ?

WHAT?! SO THIS IS IT?!

W-WAIT A SECOND...! THEN... LET'S SEE... WHAT ABOUT THIS ONE?!

IT HAS TO BE!! *YAY!!* HE GOT TO THE GREAT ELDER AND HE'S COMING WITH THE DRAGON BALL!!

IT'S HEADING STRAIGHT THIS WAY...!! COULD IT BE KURIRIN... ?!

THIS FAR-AWAY DRAGON BALL READING HAS STARTED TO MOVE !

WHAT ?!

OH! YOU REMEMBER WE SAID VEGETA WAS ATTACKING A VILLAGE?! IT WAS THAT WAY!!

UM... LET'S SEE... THAT WAY, RIGHT?

OH YEAH! IT'S CLOSE TO HERE...

THESE FIVE ARE PROBABLY FREEZA'S AND... SEE! HERE'S ONE ALL BY ITSELF...!

HE MUST'VE GONE SOME-WHERE ELSE, THINKING IT WASN'T THERE!!

I KNOW!! HE ATTACKED THE VILLAGE BUT COULDN'T FIND THE DRAGON BALL!!

VEGETA'S NOT THERE... I DON'T FEEL HIS ***CHI***...

B- BUT...

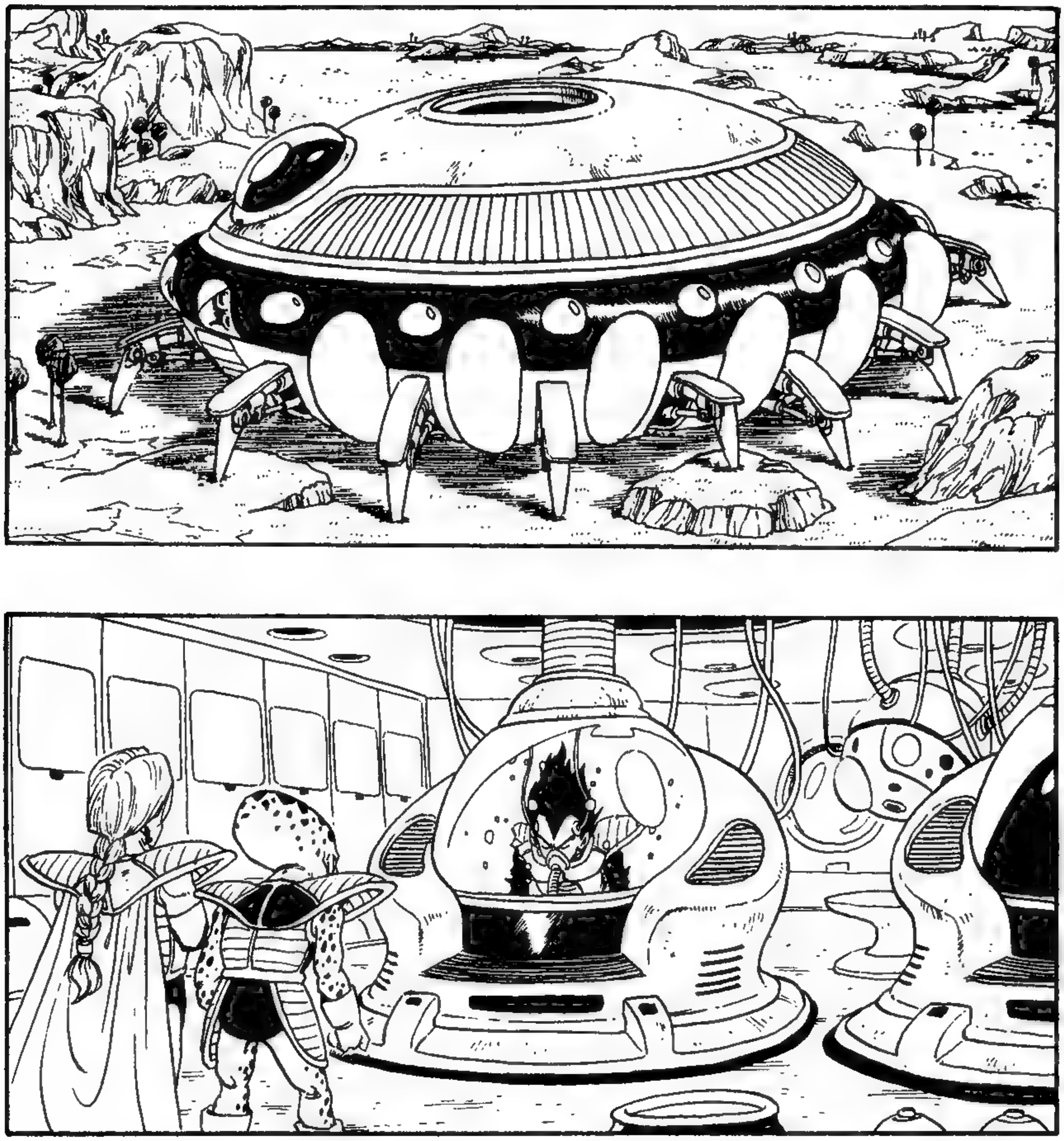
I DON'T FEEL ANY SCARY ***CHI*** POWER AROUND !!

NOW'S OUR CHANCE !

I'LL GO GET THAT DRAGON BALL !!

CAN I HAVE THE RADAR ?!

YAY!! LUCK'S FINALLY TURNING OUR WAY!!



HE'S SUFFERED A GREAT DEAL OF DAMAGE.... I'D GUESS AT LEAST ANOTHER HALF AN HOUR UNTIL HE REGAINS CONSCIOUS-NESS...

HOW IS HE? HOW LONG UNTIL WE CAN MAKE HIM TALK ABOUT WHERE HE HID THE DRAGON BALL?

HMPH... I NEVER THOUGHT WE WOULD TREAT THE WOUNDS OF A TRAITOR...

PSHUUU

BLUP BLOOP

WIIIIIN

I'LL REPORT THAT TO MASTER FREEZA...

EVEN VEGETA WILL TELL WHERE HE HID THE DRAGON BALL... AFTER A LITTLE "INTERROGATION" BY MASTER FREEZA...

HEH...

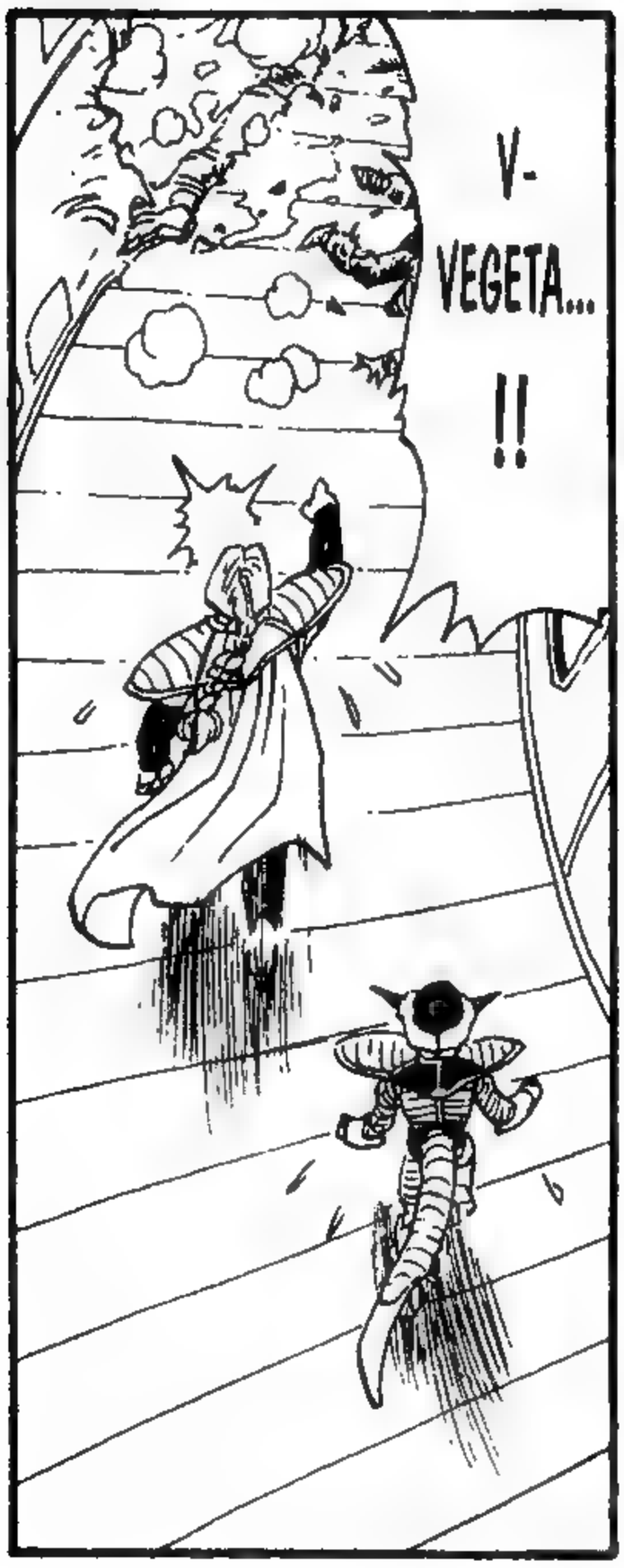
BLUB BLOOP

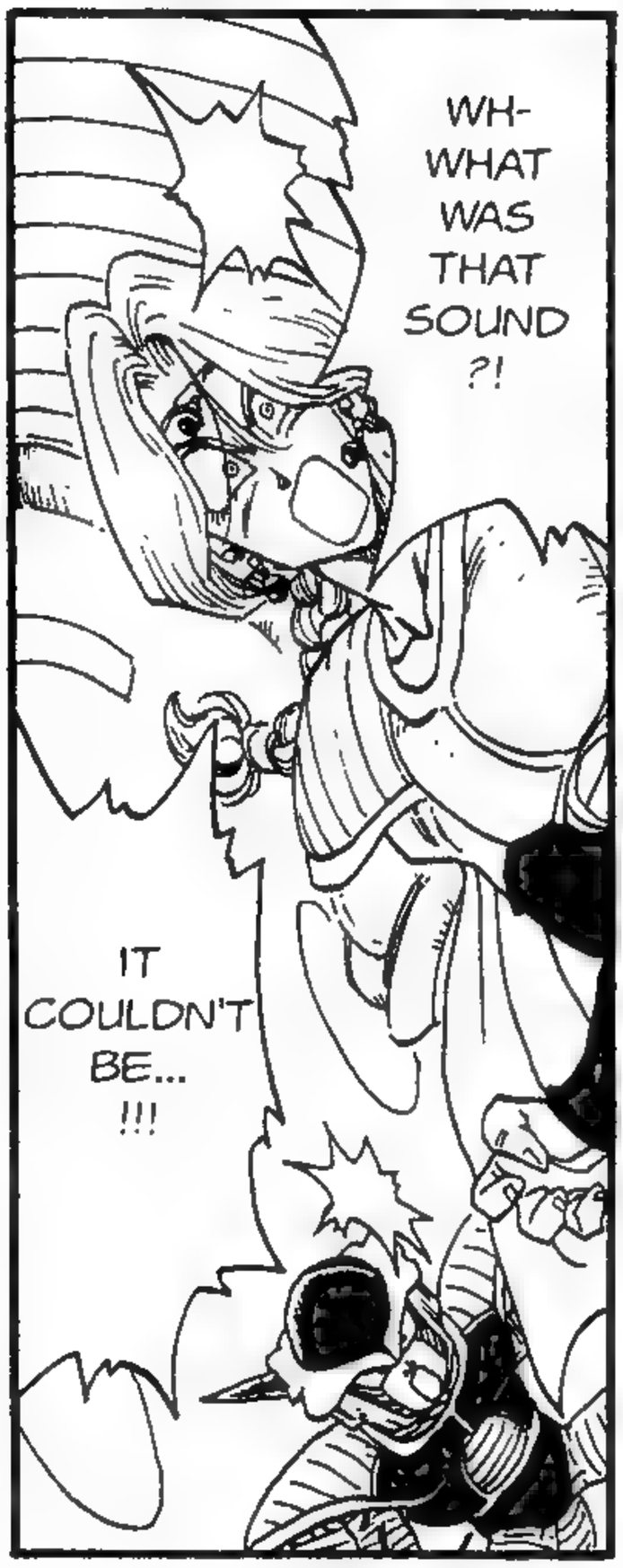
BLUP

GAAAAA

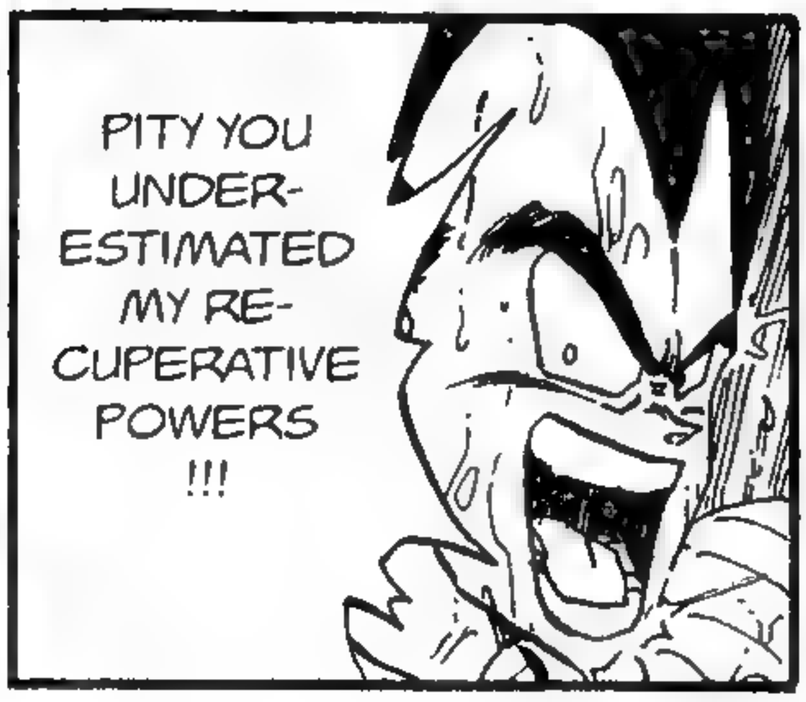
EH ?!


BAKOOM


V-
VEGETA...
!!


WH-
WHAT
WAS
THAT
SOUND
?!
IT
COULDN'T
BE...
!!!


THANKS
SO
MUCH...


PITY YOU
UNDER-
ESTIMATED
MY RE-
CUPERATIVE
POWERS
!!!

HE GOT AWAY... !!!!

I- IMPOSSIBLE !

C- CURSE HIM !

HURRY!! GO AFTER HIM !!

GOOD!! FREEZA'S WITH HIM!!

HA HA HA!! FREEZA!! YOUR PLAN BACK- FIRED !!

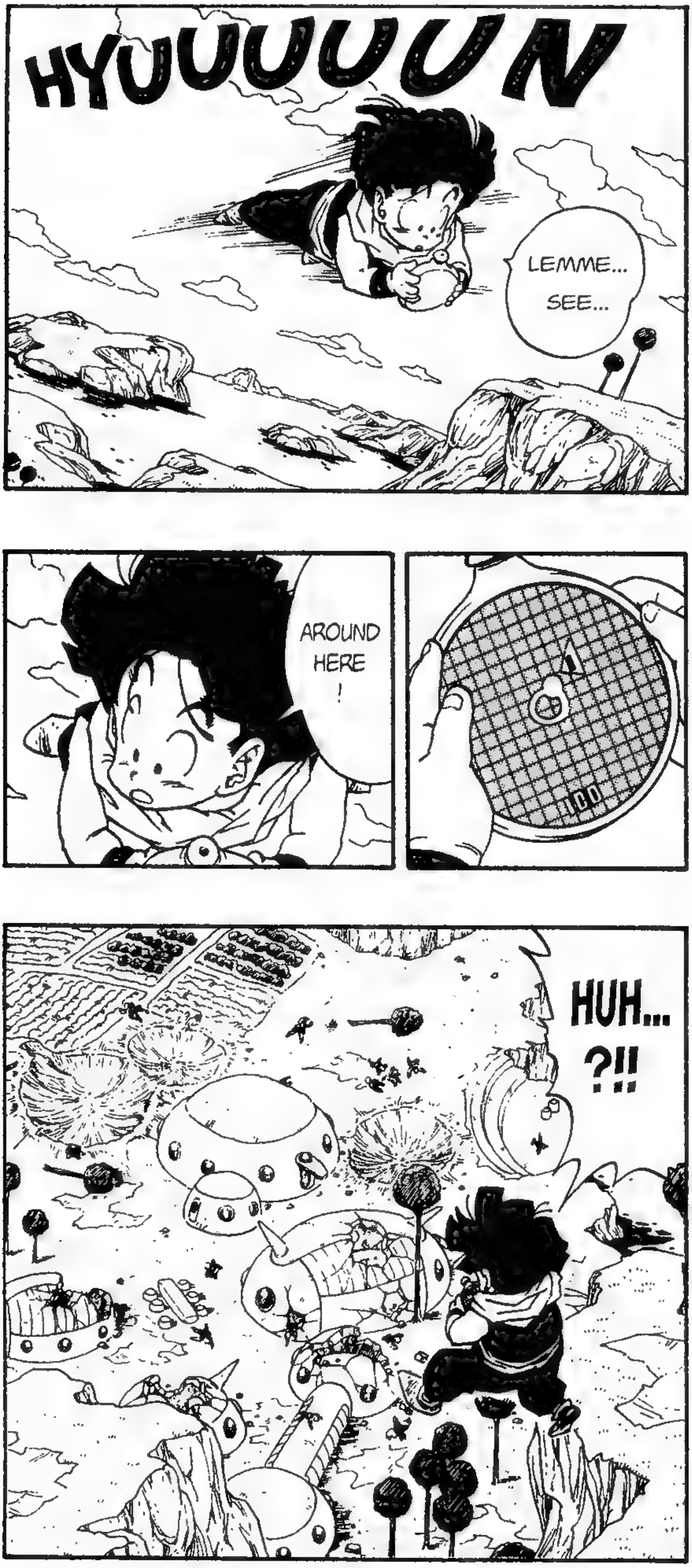
THERE THEY ARE!! THE DRAGON BALLS !!

THEY FELL FOR IT!! THEY THINK I'VE LEFT!!

FSSH

NEXT: The Tables Turn!

DBZ:72 • Vegeta's Laughter, Freeza's Rage





TMP

THE ONE THAT VEGETA COULDN'T FIND...

I HAVE TO LOOK FOR THE DRAGON BALL...

THE ENTIRE VILLAGE... DESTROYED...

THIS... THIS IS AWFUL...

IT'S GOT TO BE VEGETA'S DOING...

I-IT'S NOT INSIDE THE HOUSES... ?!

...THIS WAY... ?

pii- pii

HUH ?

BURBLE

BLUB

!!

SPLOOOSH

I GOT IT!

PHEW!

I GUESS MAYBE THE VILLAGERS HID IT IN PANIC...

BUT WHY WAS IT THERE...?

HE'S GOT TO BE HIDING SOMEWHERE... !!

HE COULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN FAR...!

WHERE DID YOU RUN, VEGETA... ?!!!

WH-WHERE IS HE?!

IF IT TURNS OUT THAT OUR FOE HAS ESCAPED, I WILL HOLD YOU RESPONSIBLE. AND KILL YOU.

CAN YOU NOT FIND HIM, MR. ZARBON?

THAT'S IT, FOOL... KEEP WASTING YOUR TIME LOOKING OUTSIDE...

HEH HEH HEH...

AND I DON'T HAVE TIME TO SIT AND THINK ABOUT IT...

I CAN'T GET AWAY CARRYING ALL FIVE...

3...4...5! PERFECT !

NOT ONLY DID THEY HEAL MY WOUNDS... BUT THEY'VE HANDED ME EVERY SINGLE ONE OF THEIR DRAGON BALLS.

PLEASE... LET THIS WORK...!

SO THEN...

WHILE ZARBON'S LOOKING AROUND THE OTHER SIDE...

HEY!!! YOU FELL FOR IT!!! I'M STILL INSIDE THE SHIP!!!!

WHAT... ?!!

WHAT... ?!!

UNH... !!!

BLAST IT... !!!

DOOM

TM

NOW !!!

WHRRR

ZIP

POW

WH-
WHERE...

WHERE
IS
HE?!

VVVV

...GOING
AFTER
THE
DRAGON
BALLS...
!!!

HE
COULDN'T
BE...

HYUN

HYUN

HYUN

HYUN

NOW--

!!!

THE DRAGON BALLS...

!!!

--IT'S MY TURN

!!!

FWA

YOU LITTLE-

!!!

Y-
Y-

M-MASTER FREEZA!! IS HE IN THE SHIP AGAIN...?!

LOOK FOR HIM!!

WH...

...WHERE IS HE ?!!

BLOP

IF I *FLEW* AWAY, FREEZA WOULD CATCH UP INSTANTLY...

HE COULD NOT HAVE GOTTEN AWAY WITH FIVE DRAGON BALLS IN AN INSTANT! I WILL LOOK INSIDE THE SHIP! ***YOU*** LOOK OUTSIDE--THOROUGHLY!! INCLUDING UNDERNEATH!!

SO...YOU HAVE NOT ONLY ALLOWED VEGETA TO ESCAPE...BUT MY DRAGON BALLS...!!

IF WE DO NOT HAVE VEGETA WITHIN ONE HOUR...THEN PREPARE YOURSELF FOR DEATH!

Y-YES-SIR!!

HUFF!
HUFF!

...I THOUGHT I THREW THEM SOMEWHERE AROUND HERE...

HUFF!
HUFF!

BLASH

THERE! THERE THEY ARE! WHAT PRECISION, IF I DO SAY SO MYSELF...!

HA... HA HA HA...

IF I GET THE ONE I SANK IN THE WATER BY THAT VILLAGE, THEN I'LL HAVE ALL BUT ONE....!

HEH HEH HEH...

I'VE FINALLY GOT YOUR DRAGON BALLS!!

SERVES YOU RIGHT, FREEZA !!

HA HA HA... !!!

HM ?!

NO...! IT'S INFERIOR TO ZARBON'S...!

IS IT ZARBON ?!

A GREAT POWER...!

IF YOU GO TO THE GREAT ELDER'S, YOU'LL GET MUCH, ***MUCH*** STRONGER !!!

WOO-HOO!! JUST WAIT, GOHAN !!

FYOOOOO

HYUUUN

...THOUGH THAT POWER WAS SUDDENLY, TERRIBLY CLOSE!

KURIRIN IS ELATED, WITH HIS LATENT POWERS DRAWN TO THE MAXIMUM AND HIS STRENGTH GREATER THAN HE'S EVER DREAMED. SO WE CAN UNDERSTAND HIM NOT NOTICING VEGETA'S POWER...

AND WAS HE REALLY CARRYING... THE LAST DRAGON BALL ?

WHAT IS HE DOING ON PLANET NAMEK... ?!

HE WAS ONE OF MY OPPONENTS ON EARTH...!!!

HYUUUN

LUCK IS FINALLY TURNING MY WAY !!!

HA... HA HA HA... !!

NEXT: Reunion of Terror!

DBZ:73 • Reunion of Terror!

FLASH

HH

MAN THAT WAS FAST!!! I'M ALMOST THERE !!!

WELL, THEN--I'D BETTER TAKE YOURS !!

SO. THE EARTHLING SEEMS TO BE AFTER THE DRAGON BALLS TOO...

AND THEN--ALL SEVEN DRAGON BALLS WILL BE *MINE* !!!

HYUUUN

HYUUUN

IF ONLY I STILL HAD A SCOUTER TO TRACK HIM WITH !!

C-CURSE THAT VEGETA...!! WHERE DID HE GO...?!!

HYOOO

...?!

IF I DON'T STOP HIM, MASTER FREEZA WILL KILL M...

HSSS

IS THAT *HIM* ?!

OH !!!

B-BUT HE'S HOLDING SOMETHING... THAT LOOKS LIKE A DRAGON BALL!!

NO!! IT'S THE ONE WHO SAVED THAT NAMEKIAN BRAT...!!

VEGETA !!!!

V...

I FOUND HIM !!!!

SHOOM

NOW HE'S MINE !!!

HYUUN

HYUUN

HYUUN

I'D SAY ZARBON HAS FOUND ME!

FEH!! WHAT A NUISANCE...!

A POWERFUL ***CHI***... FOLLOWING ME...

EH ?!

HE'LL BE TOO SURE OF HIMSELF AFTER THAT LAST BATTLE... HE'LL COME AT ME OFF GUARD...

OH, WELL...AT LEAST IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY TO GET HIM OUT OF THE WAY ONCE AND FOR ALL!

HYUUUUUN

TMP

KURIRIN?!! GEEZ!! DON'T SCARE ME LIKE THAT!!

YOU'RE GOING TO GET YOURSELF ***CAUGHT*** SITTING OUTSIDE AND...

YOU'VE GOT TO BE MORE CAREFUL, BULMA!

EEEK !!!

THE GREAT ELDER WAS VERY UNDER-STANDING.

THEY SURE MAKE 'EM ***BIG*** ON THE HOME WORLD.... !!

HEH HEH! YOU GOT IT!!

HUH ?!

I-IS THAT A ***DRAGON BALL?!***

THERE WAS ONE ON THE RADAR! YOU KNOW, WHERE YOU SAID VEGETA WAS ATTACKING A VILLAGE!

HE WENT TO FIND ANOTHER DRAGON BALL!

IS GOHAN HERE? I WANT TO TAKE HIM TO THE GREAT ELDER'S PLACE TOO!

OH YEAH... !

!!

HE WENT... ?!

WHAT ?!

MUST BE GOHAN! THAT WAS QUICK !

A ***CHI!!*** IT'S COMING RIGHT THIS WAY!!

SHPA A

N- NO !!!!

IT'S NOT GOHAN !!!!

TMP

VEGETA !!

I WAS SO HAPPY ABOUT GETTING STRONGER THAT I DIDN'T EVEN NOTICE HIS *CHI!!*

STUPID!! I WAS *STUPID* !!!!

...I'D SAY THAT YOU AND I HAVE THE SAME AGENDA.

FROM THE WAY YOU CLUTCH THAT DRAGON BALL...

I DIDN'T EXPECT TO FIND YOU HERE, EARTHLING...

I DIDN'T THINK YOUR CIVILIZATION WAS ADVANCED ENOUGH TO REACH ANOTHER PLANET.

...NNNH...

...BUT DON'T GET ANY IDEAS ABOUT RUNNING AWAY WITH IT!

NOW. I HAVE SOMETHING TO DO BEFORE I TAKE THAT BALL...

NOT ONLY WILL YOU DIE...BUT SO WILL SHE!

HUH ?!

HE'S HERE...

OH !!!

VWOOSH

TMP

HMPH.

!!

THANKS TO YOU, MASTER FREEZA HAS LOST A GREAT DEAL OF FAITH IN ME.

YOU'VE CERTAINLY MADE A FOOL OF ME, VEGETA...

YOU'RE SUPPOSING RIGHT...

I SUPPOSE IT'S TOO MUCH TO HOPE THAT THIS IS THE HANDSOME HERO COMING TO RESCUE US...

THIS TIME YOU WILL TELL ME WHERE THEY ARE...BUT I HOPE YOU MAKE ME BEAT YOU TO WITHIN AN INCH OF YOUR LIFE FIRST.

ALL I CARE ABOUT ARE THE DRAGON BALLS...AND YOU, VEGETA, ARE HIDING THE REST OF THEM.

I TAKE IT YOU'RE IN ON THIS TOGETHER.

I RECOGNIZE THAT SHRIMP WITH THE DRAGON BALL, TOO...

ABSURD !

YOU NEVER LEARN...

HEH HEH HEH...

JUST TRY.

RWB

D-DEF-INITELY NOT A GOOD GUY... !!!

H-HE TURNED INTO A MONSTER!!! AND HIS *CHI*...IT WENT THROUGH THE ROOF!! WHAT *IS* HE?!!!

IIIIIC

OFF GUARD, INDEED... !!

URRRYAH!!


FYOOO
WOOM
SSHH
GNG


DOMM
PFF
HA HA HA! DID YOU THINK YOU COULD GET AWAY?!!
VMMM
UH ?!

SSHH..!!

YOU LOUSY--!!

NNNH... !!!

WH- WHAT DID YOU... ?!!!

HAAAH!!!

...!!

EEK !!

NEXT: Rematch of Terror!


BRAK


DOOM
HYAH
!!!!


RAAUGH
!!!

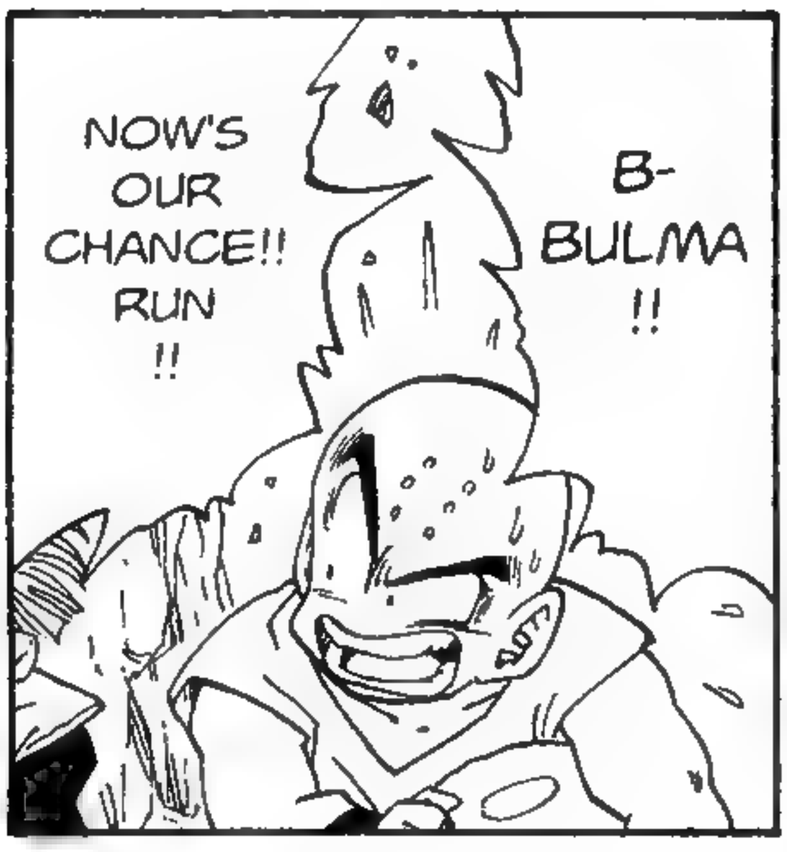

VASSHHH

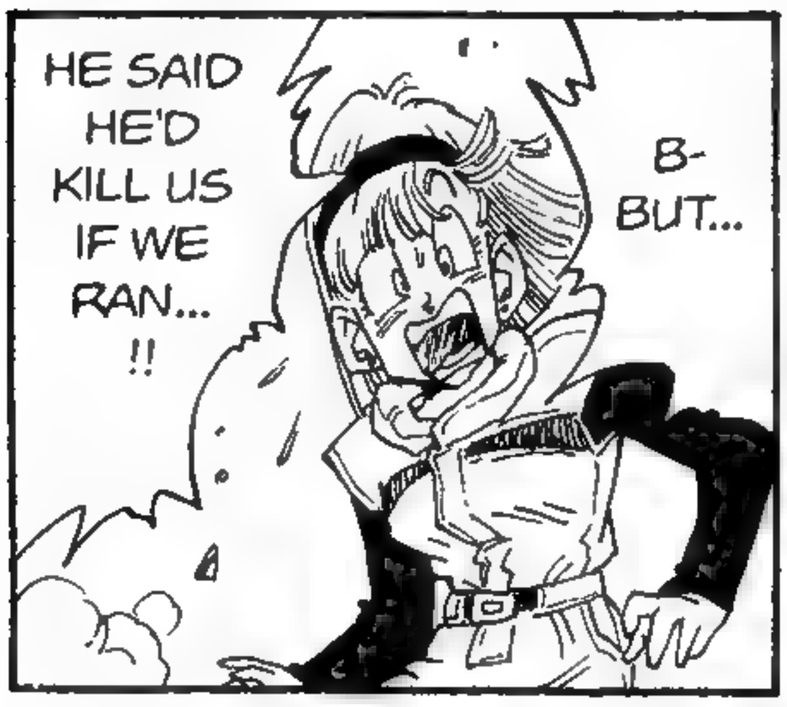

ZBLOOSH

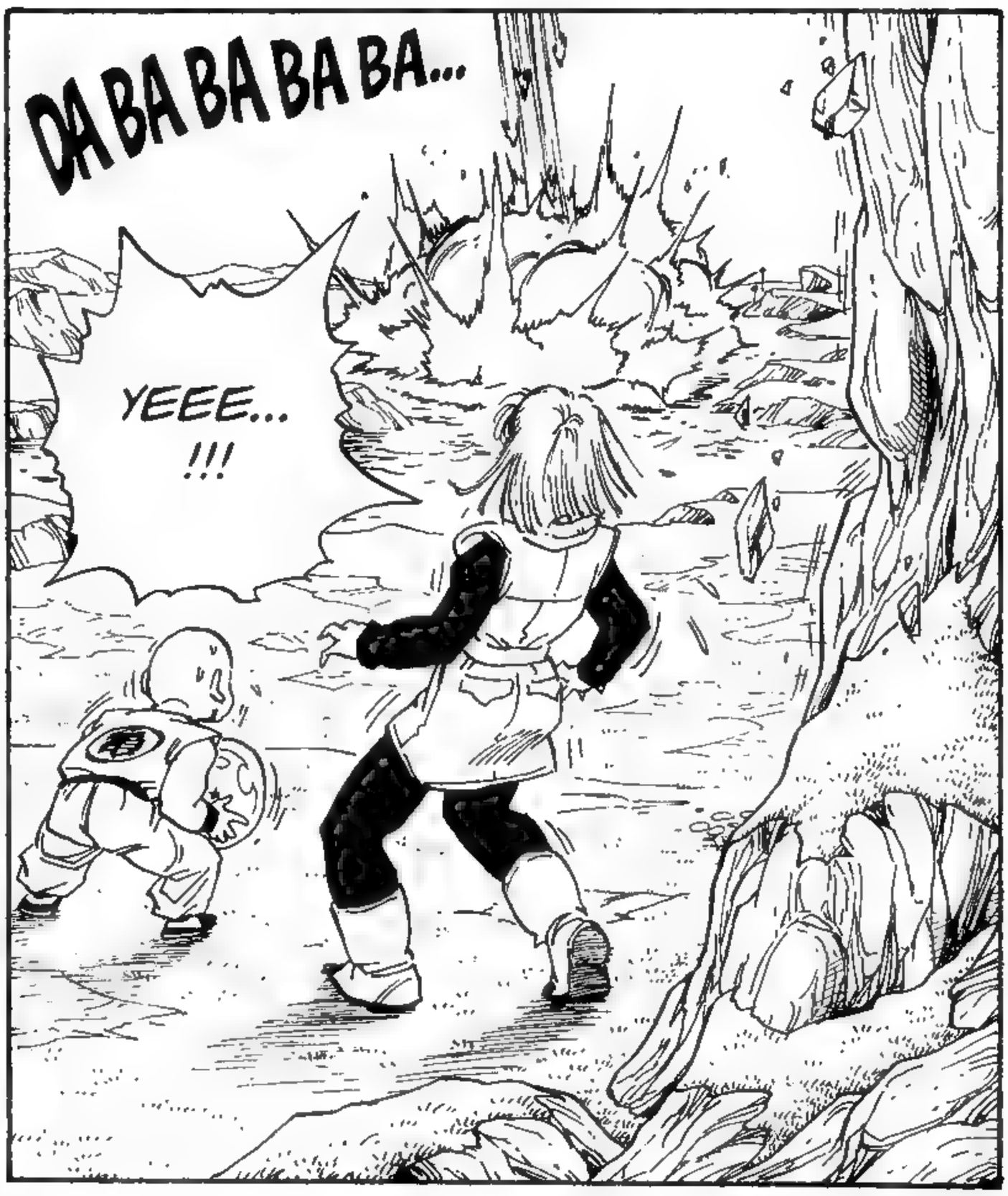
HYOH HHH-

DM DM DM DM DM DM


DABABABABA!!!


NOW'S OUR CHANCE!! RUN !!
B- BULMA !!


HE SAID HE'D KILL US IF WE RAN... !!
B- BUT...


DA BA BA BA BA...
YEEE... !!!

HE'LL KILL US IF WE DON'T !!!

OH, NO YOU DON'T !!!

BR-AAAAT

Z-BOOM-BOOM

WAK !!!

THIS GUY NEVER LETS HIS GUARD DOWN FOR A SECOND....!!

WH-WHAT DO WE DO...?!

HEH

BOOM

BOOSH

BOOSH

TM

TM

EEP !!!

YOU'LL *PAY* FOR THIS... !!!

VEGE-TAAAA... !!

DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH!! I'M STILL MORE POWERFUL THAN YOU!!!

D-DEATH'S...?!

HA HA HA!

AREN'T YOU GETTING LOW ON PHYSICAL STRENGTH...?

HEH... I GUESS THE PREEMPTIVE STRIKE WAS EFFECTIVE...

DO YOU HEAR DEATH'S FOOT-STEPS, ZARBON?

DIDN'T YOU KNOW THAT WE INCREASE OUR BATTLE STRENGTH EVERY TIME WE RECOVER FROM THE BRINK OF DEATH? IT WAS SUCH A BAD IDEA TO TAKE CARE OF ME WHEN I WAS NEARLY DEAD... DON'T YOU AGREE?!

OH, ZARBON... I THOUGHT YOU KNEW ALL ABOUT THE SAIYANS.

THAT'S HOW IT WAS WHENEVER ***GOKU*** SURVIVED A FIERCE BATTLE...! NO WONDER VEGETA'S ***CHI*** POWER IS SO HIGH NOW!

THAT'S... RIGHT...!!

UNH !!!!

YOU'LL NEVER DEFEAT ME IN THIS FORM!!!

NO MATTER HOW GREAT YOUR BATTLE STRENGTH...

WE WILL NOT LOSE !!!

THE SAIYANS ARE A WARRIOR RACE !!!

DOM

RAUGH!!!

GA BAM DAM

DAM

BAM

DAM

BAM

BAM

KA

BOOM

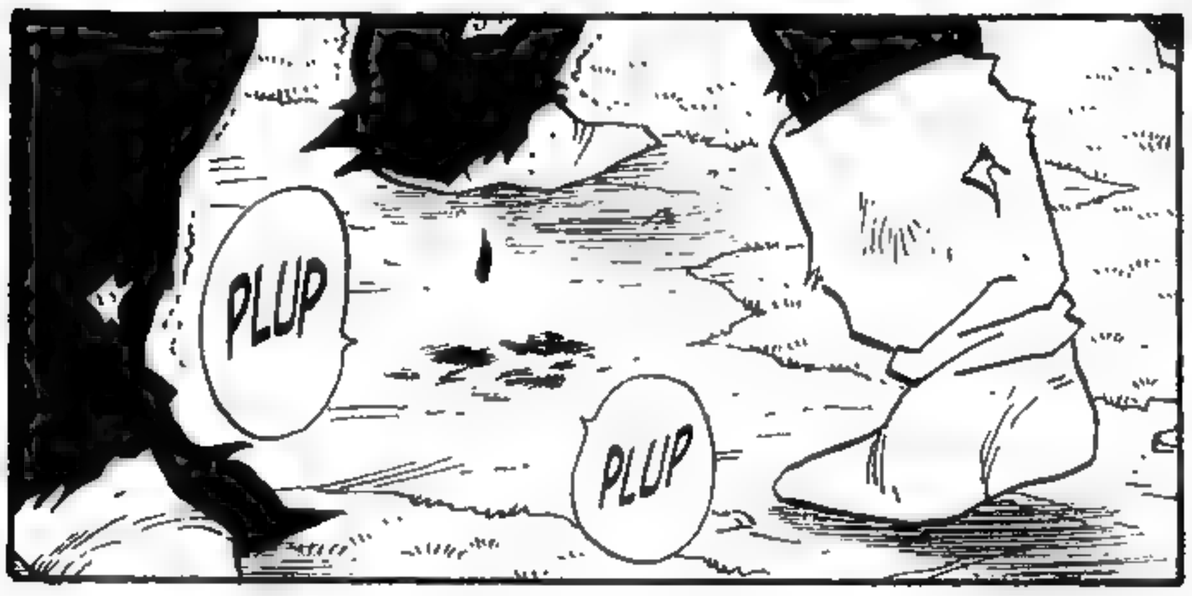
SLAM BAM

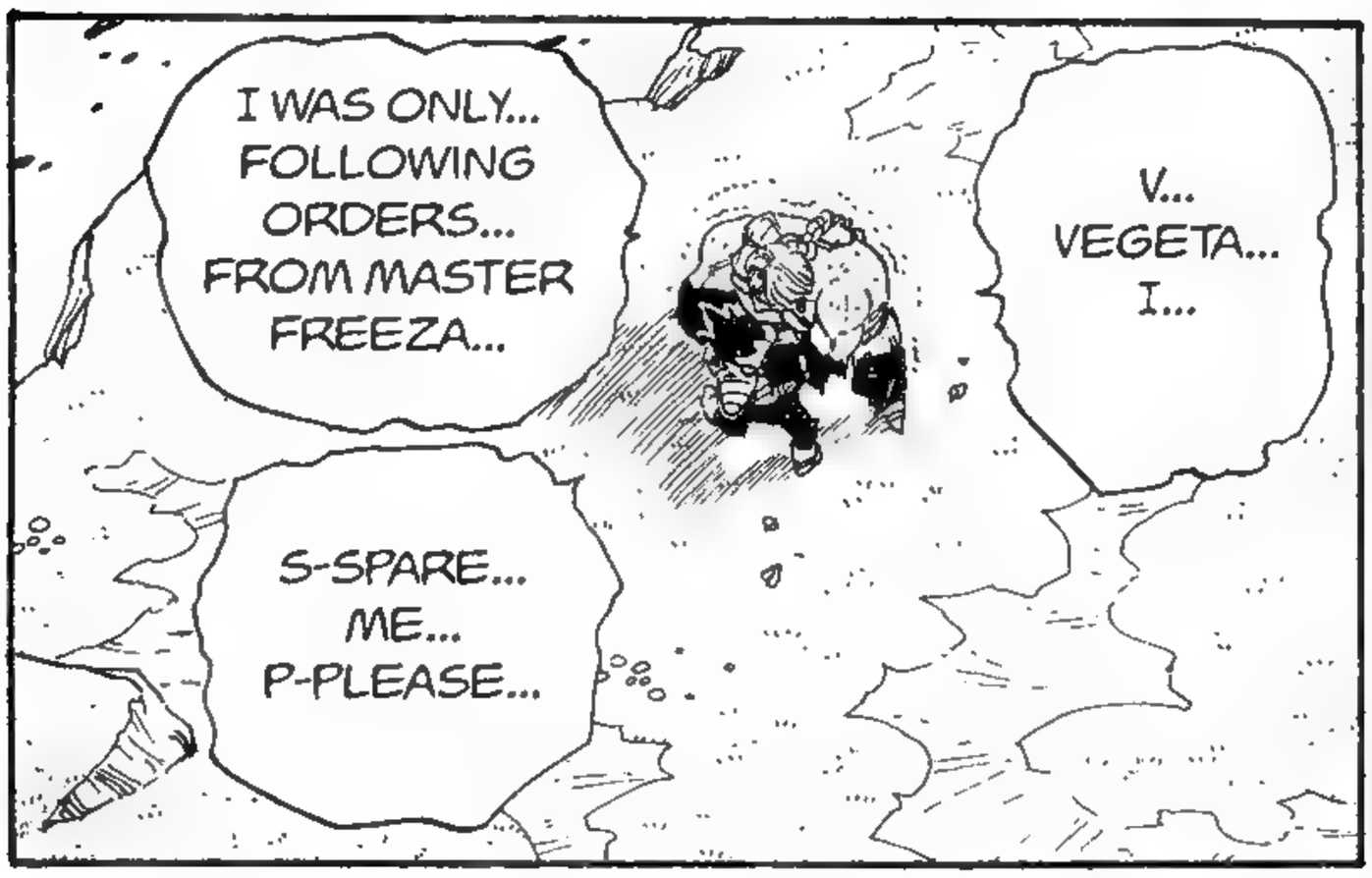
GWOM GOOM

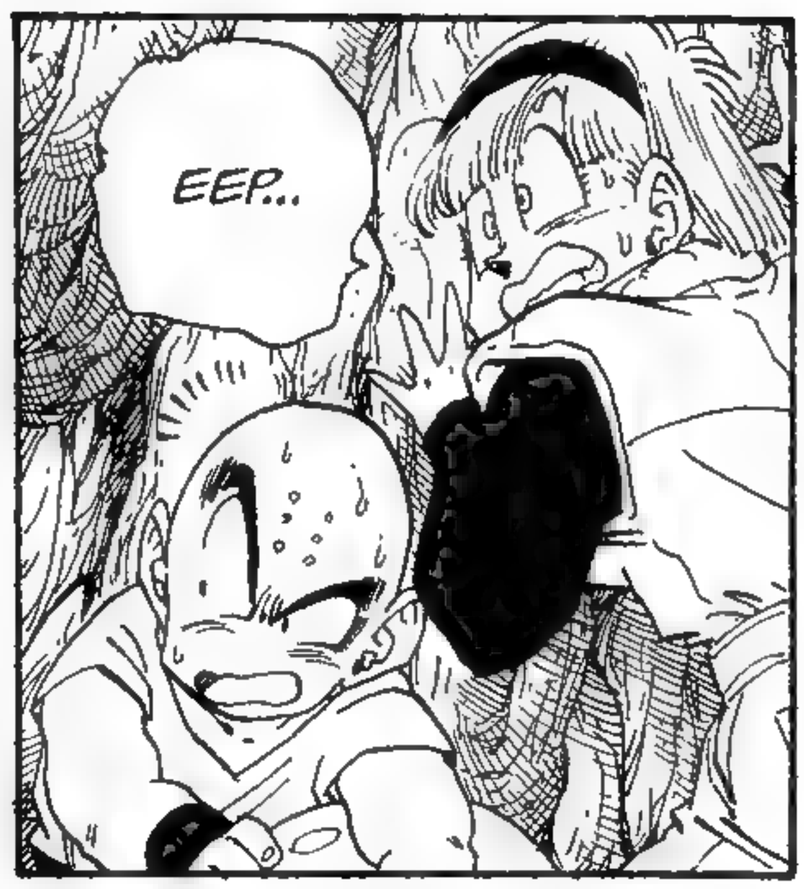
...!!

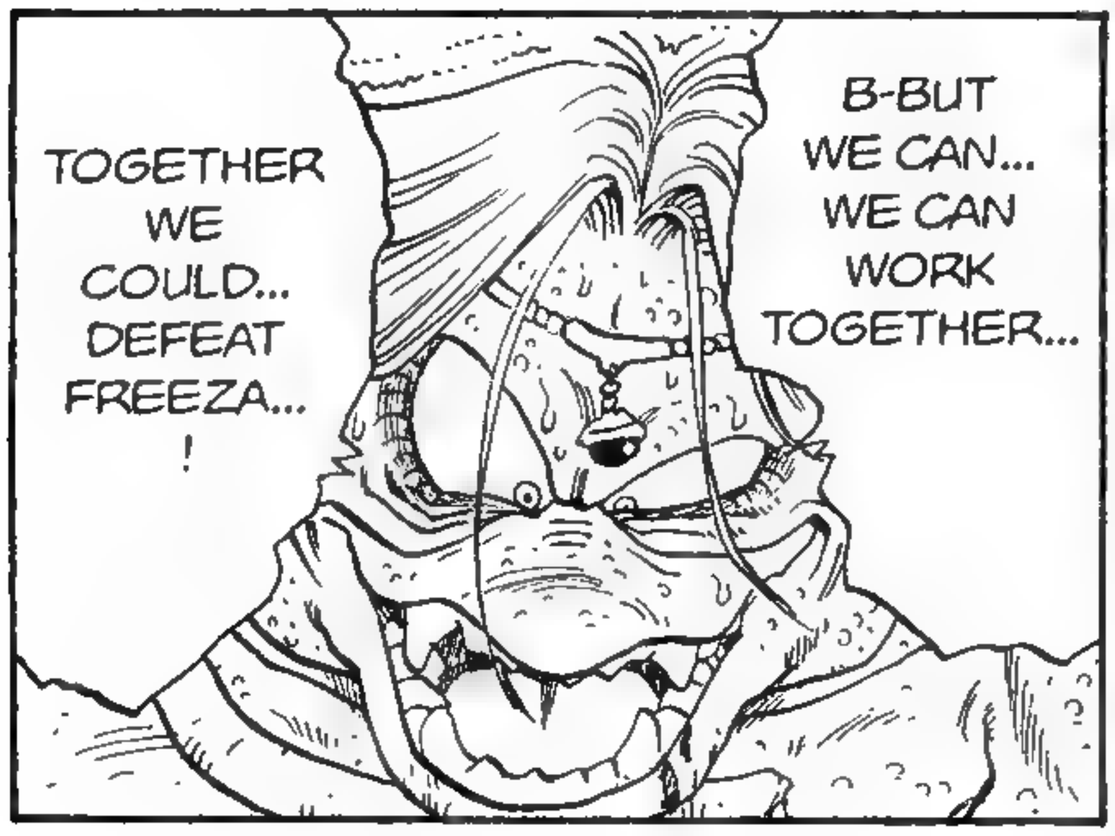


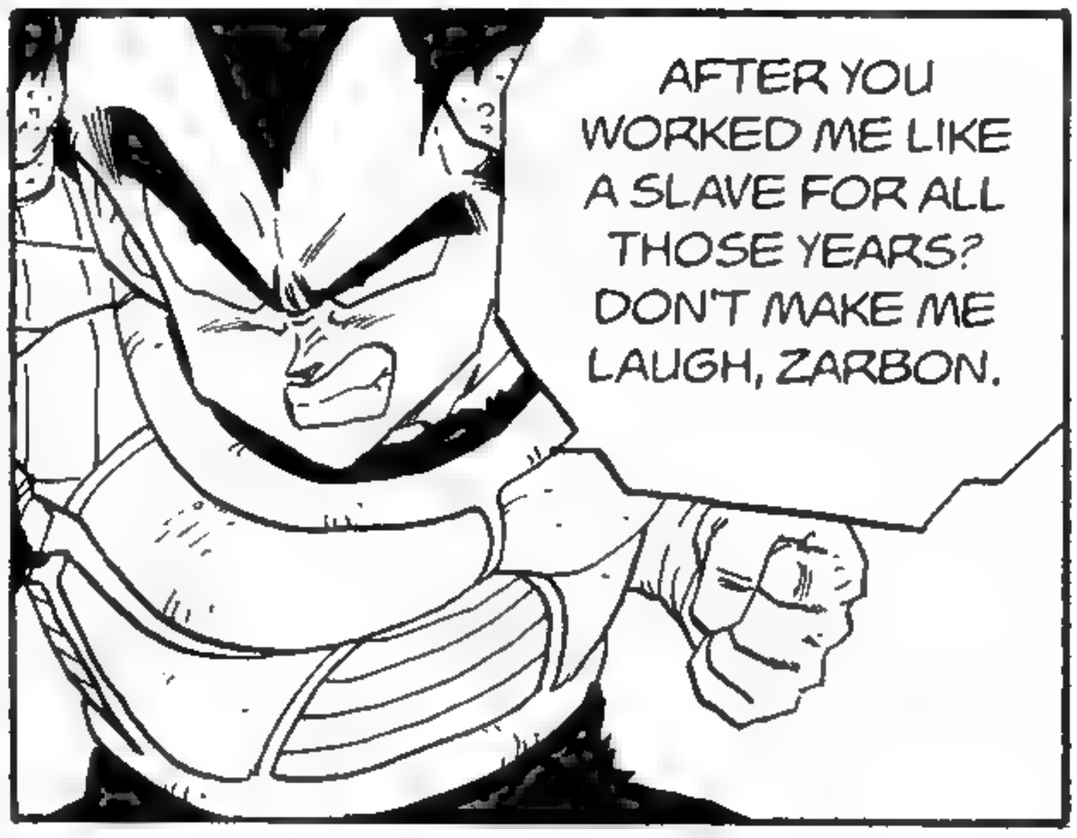

UHHH...
NHH...


PLUP
PLUP


I WAS ONLY... FOLLOWING ORDERS... FROM MASTER FREEZA...
V... VEGETA... I...
S-SPARE... ME... P-PLEASE...


EEP...

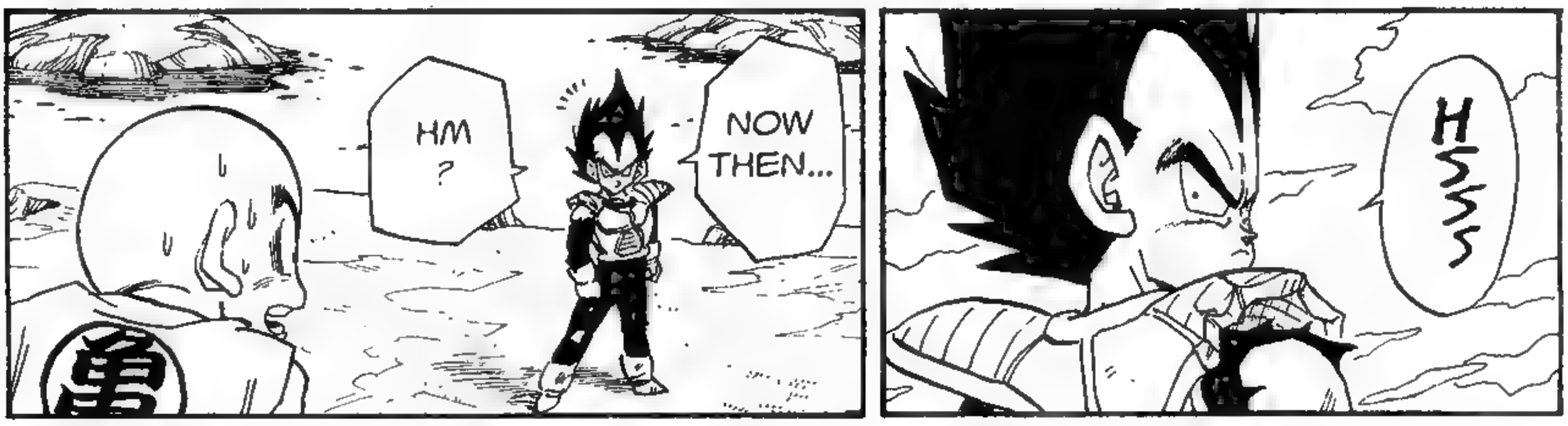

TOGETHER WE COULD... DEFEAT FREEZA...!
B-BUT WE CAN... WE CAN WORK TOGETHER...

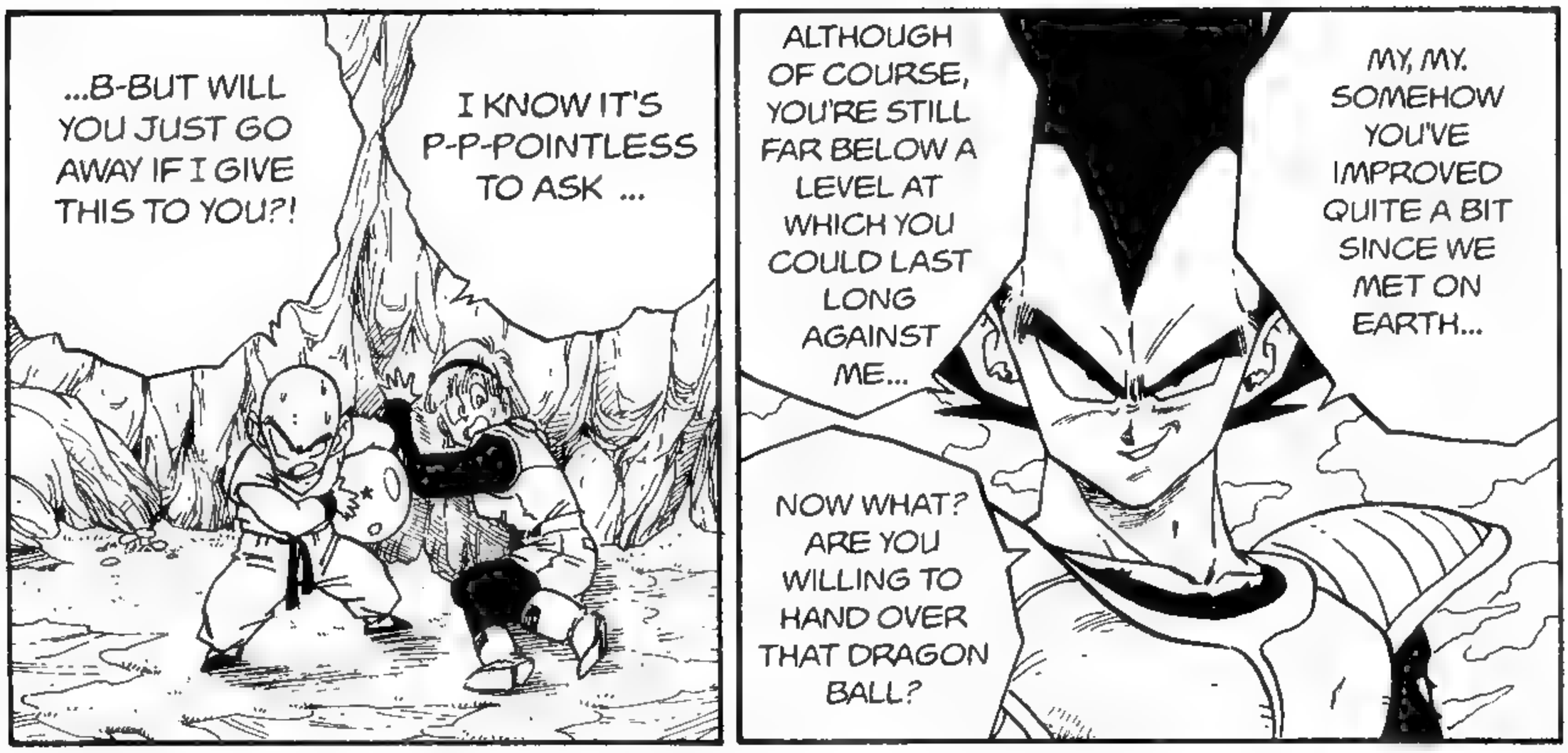

AFTER YOU WORKED ME LIKE A SLAVE FOR ALL THOSE YEARS? DON'T MAKE ME LAUGH, ZARBON.

OMG

DOOO


...
IF FREEZA COULD BE DEFEATED JUST BY TEAMING WITH THE LIKES OF YOU...THEN HE WOULDN'T BE FREEZA.


HM ?
NOW THEN...
HSSSS


...B-BUT WILL YOU JUST GO AWAY IF I GIVE THIS TO YOU?!
I KNOW IT'S P-P-POINTLESS TO ASK ...
ALTHOUGH OF COURSE, YOU'RE STILL FAR BELOW A LEVEL AT WHICH YOU COULD LAST LONG AGAINST ME...
MY, MY. SOMEHOW YOU'VE IMPROVED QUITE A BIT SINCE WE MET ON EARTH...
NOW WHAT? ARE YOU WILLING TO HAND OVER THAT DRAGON BALL?

IF YOU'RE REALLY THAT AFRAID TO DIE, YOU'D BETTER HAND IT OVER BEFORE I CHANGE MY MIND!

DON'T MAKE ME REPEAT MYSELF...

D-DO YOU *SWEAR* ?!

AS LONG AS I GET THE DRAGON BALL, I HAVE NO REASON TO WASTE MY ENERGY SQUASHING BUGS.

HEH HEH HEH... A PROMISE, EH? FINE.

...ETERNAL LIFE...AND *MASTERY* OF THE UNIVERSE !!

...

YOU'RE LUCKY. HAVING ALL THE DRAGON BALLS HAS PUT ME IN A ***VERY*** GOOD MOOD!

NOTHING MAKES ONE QUITE AS HAPPY AS HAVING IN ONE'S GRASP...

PHEW... !

H-HE'S NOT GOING TO GET HIS WISH...

YOU'VE GOT TO SEE TO THAT, GOHAN!!

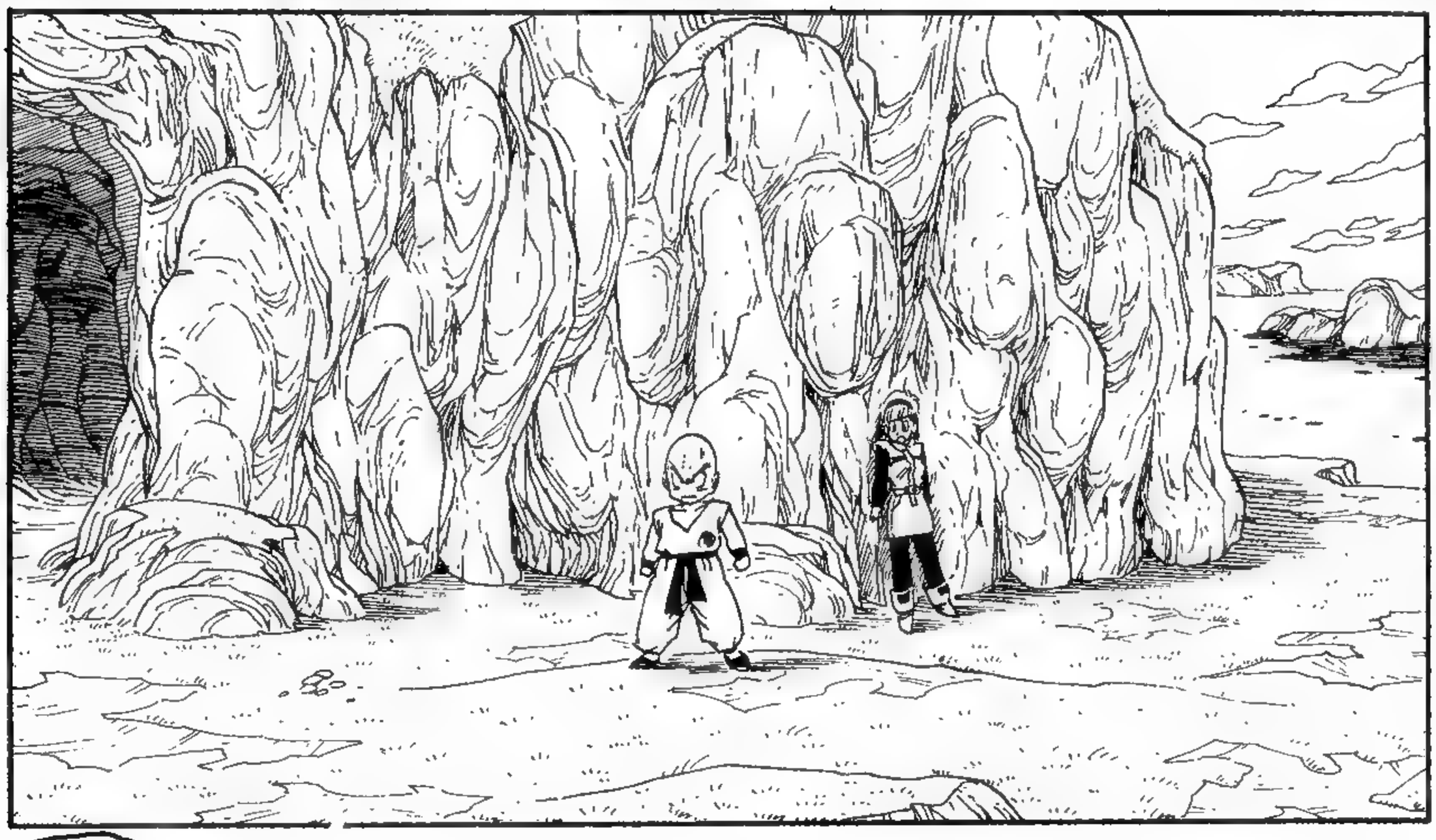
HWOOSH

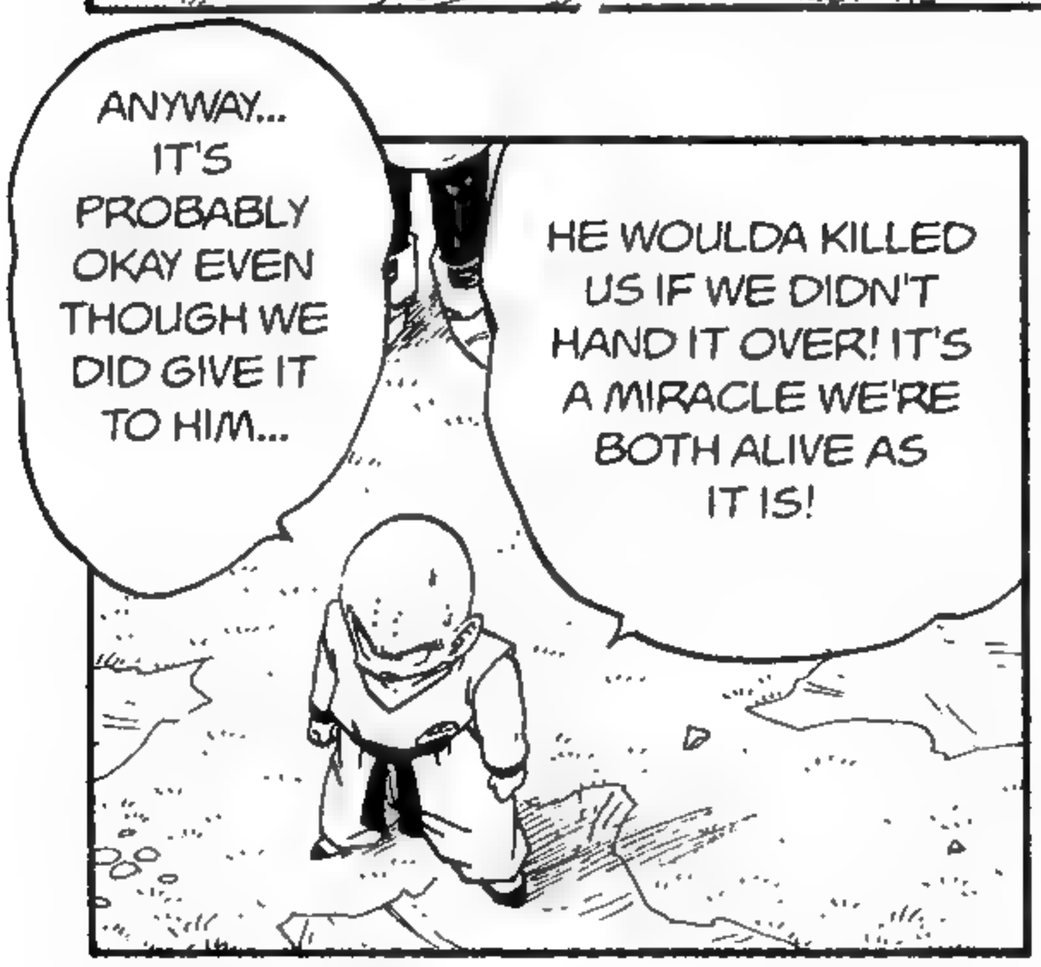
HA HA HA !!!

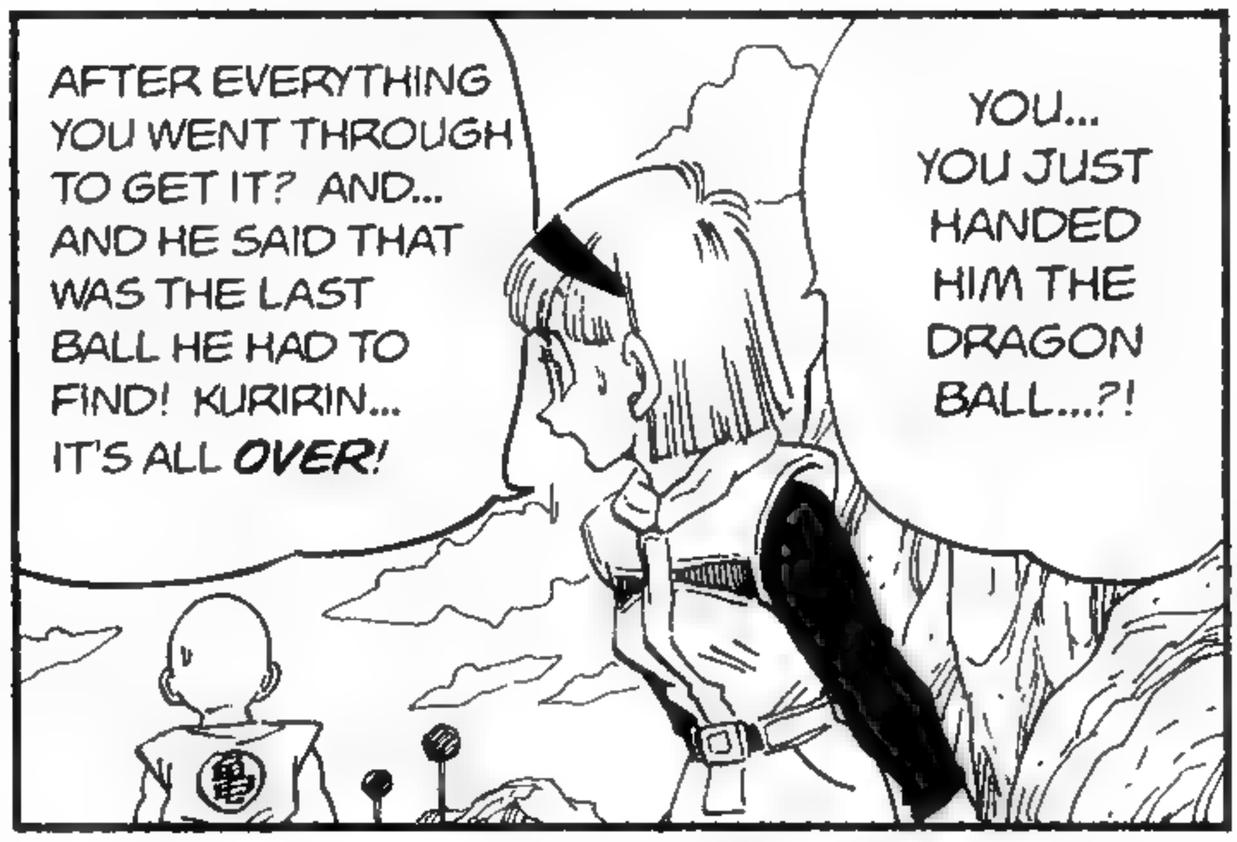
NEXT: Gohan vs. Vegeta?!?

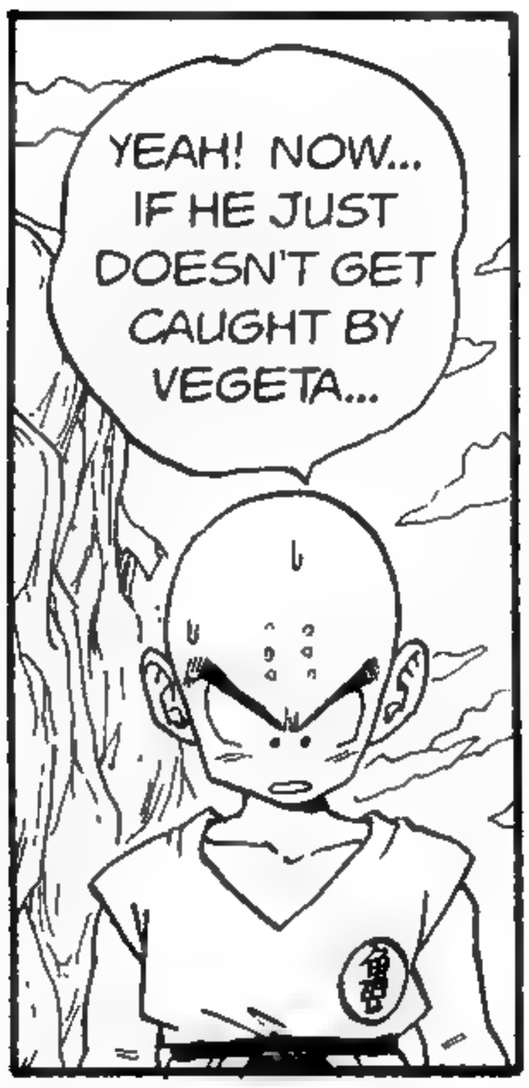
DBZ:75 • Brains and Brawn






ANYWAY... IT'S PROBABLY OKAY EVEN THOUGH WE DID GIVE IT TO HIM...
HE WOULDA KILLED US IF WE DIDN'T HAND IT OVER! IT'S A MIRACLE WE'RE BOTH ALIVE AS IT IS!


AFTER EVERYTHING YOU WENT THROUGH TO GET IT? AND... AND HE SAID THAT WAS THE LAST BALL HE HAD TO FIND! KURIRIN... IT'S ALL *OVER!*
YOU... YOU JUST HANDED HIM THE DRAGON BALL...?!






HE *HID* IT SO FREEZA'S GUYS WOULDN'T GET ALL SEVEN!
THE DRAGON BALL THAT GOHAN WENT TO FIND... IT WASN'T THAT VEGETA COULDN'T FIND IT...

HYOOOOON

WHAT A POWERFUL *CHI...!!!*

SOME-THING'S COMING-- STRAIGHT AT ME!!!

UH-OH !!!!

VEGETA !!!!

BOOM

EH ?!

ZIP

VVVOWWW

AN ENTITY... TREMENDOUS POWER... STRAIGHT AHEAD...!!

I HAVE TO SUPPRESS MY *CHI...!!!*

WHAT...?! *GONE...?!*

WHAT *IS* THIS...?!

SHOW YOURSELF ***NOW***--OR ELSE I'LL LEVEL THIS WHOLE AREA!!!

SHOW YOURSELF!! I KNOW YOU'RE THERE !!!

I KNOW IT WAS HERE SOME-WHERE...

B-BUMP B-BUMP

BUT MAYBE YOU DON'T BELIEVE ME...

OH... NO !!

PLEASE DON'T LET HIM FIND IT...

SSSHHH

W-WAIT !!!

HM ?

SHOOT... SHOOT!

WELL, WELL, WELL!

Y-YOU WIN!

THAT DRAGON BALL! DID YOU...?!!

THAT...

FROM YOUR DOME-HEADED LITTLE PAL.....

I GOT IT AS A GIFT.

AFTER ALL, IF THOSE PATHETIC EARTHLING ***FRIENDS*** OF YOURS WERE HERE....

...WHAT?! ...OH!!

KAKARROT'S SON... I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT TURN UP!

...

YOU MEAN...?!

I WAS IN TOO GOOD A MOOD TO KILL ANYONE... ONCE I HAD ALL SEVEN DRAGON BALLS!

NO... BUT NOW THAT YOU MENTION IT, PERHAPS I'LL GO BACK AND DO THAT....

Y-YOU KILLED KURIRIN...!!!

OH!

TMP

ALL...?

PEEK

HEH...EARTHLINGS! JUST SMART ENOUGH TO FIND THEIR WAY ACROSS SPACE...BUT NOT SMART ENOUGH TO MAKE A WATCH ANY SMALLER THAN THAT!

TH-TH-THIS...

...IS A WATCH !

OH...! ...UH...

HUH ?!

WHAT'S THAT YOU HAVE IN YOUR HAND?

THAT'S TOO BAD...

I SEE...

N-NO...WE DIDN'T KNOW WE'D BE RUNNING INTO BAD GUYS LIKE YOU HERE...!

SO IS YOUR FOOL OF A FATHER HERE TOO?

DO WOOM

WE THREE ARE THE LAST SAIYANS ALIVE. WHEN YOU GET BACK TO EARTH, TELL THAT COWARD KAKARROT...

HA HA HA !!!

YOOOO

UGH...

NNH

NNHHH... !!

...THAT'LL I'LL COME TO EARTH AGAIN SOME DAY...AND ***THIS*** TIME WHEN I LEAVE IT THERE WON'T BE ***ANYONE*** LEFT ALIVE!

HEH HEH HEH...

B-BUT AT LEAST... I'VE STILL GOT THE D-DRAGON BALL...

THAT... H-HURT...

MAN, I HOPE HE DIDN'T GET CAUGHT BY VEGETA... !!

ST-STILL NO SIGN OF HIM...!!

ISN'T GOHAN HERE YET?!

KURIRIN!! I PUT THE HOUSE BACK INTO ITS CAPSULE !

THERE HE IS!!!!

KURIRIN !!

VIIIIIN

OH !!

WE CAN'T JUST WAIT AROUND HERE FOR HIM!! WE GOTTA *GO*!!

IF HE DID... I'LL BET VEGETA'S GOING TO BE COMING BACK AFTER US!!

HOO-HOO!! YOU DID IT!! YOU DID IT!!

KURIRIN, LOOK!!! I GOT IT !!!

GOOD JOB, GOHAN !!!

BUT I HID THE DRAGON BALL! AND HE DIDN'T CATCH ON!!

HUH--?!

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT *LATER* !!

ARE WE LUCKY TODAY OR *WHAT*?!

I KNOW, I KNOW! VEGETA FOUND ME TOO!

LOOK--I'LL EXPLAIN LATER-- BUT WE GOTTA GET *OUTTA* HERE!! *FAST*!!

BLUB

BLUB

SORRY TO BREAK IT TO YOU, FREEZA--

HA HA HA!! WITH THE BALL I'VE HIDDEN HERE, I'LL HAVE THEM ALL!!

BUT THE UNIVERSE BELONGS TO ME, STARTING NOW!!

N-NO... WAIT...

...?

IT SHOULD BE RIGHT HERE... !

BLUB

BLUB

IT'S GONE !!

...A WATCH HE SAYS... !!!

THAT LITTLE WHELP... I MET HIM RIGHT IN BETWEEN THIS SPOT AND HIS EARTHLING FRIENDS...!! BUT HOW DID HE FIND THE...

WHO DID THIS TO ME ?!!

KONNG

THINK YOU CAN PLAY WITH ME-- AND LIVE ?!!!

STUPID... LITTLE... EARTH-LINGS !

BLOOOOOOSH

ZYOOOOM

DOM

CURSE THEM !!!

WHERE ARE YOU ?!!

COME OUT HERE!!! OR YOU'LL *PAY* !!!

THEY'RE *GONE* !!!

CURSE THEM !!!

THE LITTLE INSECTS CAN SUPPRESS THEIR POWER ALL THE WAY DOWN TO ZERO !!!

I CAN'T EVEN SENSE THEIR *CHI* !!!!

KRO OM

WELL...THEY'RE BOUND TO COME AFTER THE SIX I HAVE...

...I JUST HAVE TO *WAIT* !!!

I'LL *NEVER* FIND THEM NOW!!! EARTHLINGS!!! STINKING, IMPUDENT *EARTHLINGS* !!!

HUH ?

OH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT! I'M GONNA TAKE GOHAN BACK TO THE GREAT ELDER'S PLACE NOW !

I'M SUPPOSED TO LIVE WITH ***YOU*** GUYS...IN A PLACE LIKE ***THIS***...WITH NO ***BATHROOMS***... UNTIL GOKU GETS HERE ?!

H-HERE...! HE WON'T BE ABLE TO FIND US HERE!

WHAT ARE WE SUPPOSED TO DO?! YOU THINK PERFECT CAVES GROW ON TREES?!

HEY! WE CAN'T PUT UP A HOUSE IN A CRAMPED PLACE LIKE THIS!

IT'S JUST FOR A LITTLE WHILE... AND WHEN GOHAN SEES THE GREAT ELDER, THERE'S A POSSIBILITY HE COULD BECOME AS POWERFUL AS VEGETA!!

WH-WHY ?

WHAT?! YOU'RE GONNA LEAVE ME ALL ALONE HERE?!

NEXT: High Gravity Goku!!!

THE GREAT ELDER GAVE KURIRIN A DRAGON BALL, WHICH VEGETA STOLE, THINKING HE HAD ALL SEVEN OF THE BALLS, EXCEPT THAT MEANWHILE GOHAN FOUND AND STOLE THE ONE HE HID...

...WHICH, OF COURSE, MADE VEGETA MAD WITH RAGE, SO KURIRIN AND GOHAN HAD TO RUN TO STAY ONE STEP AHEAD OF HIM...

DBZ:76 • Premonitions of War

...CAREFULLY KEEPING THEIR **CHI** SUPPRESSED SO VEGETA WON'T SENSE THEM!

...WHILE KURIRIN AND GOHAN FLY TO THE GREAT ELDER'S ROOST SO GOHAN CAN HAVE HIS POTENTIAL POWER AWAKENED...

LEAVING A LADY HERE BY HERSELF! THE ***NERVE*** !!

NOW, IN THEIR NEW HIDEOUT, BULMA HUDDLES ALONE IN FEAR..

MUNCH MUNCH

LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOTTEN STRONGER AGAIN...! THE WAY IT IS ***NOW***, WE WOULDN'T HAVE A CHANCE EVEN IF WE WENT AT HIM TOGETHER...

...BUT IF WE UNCORK ANY MORE ***CHI***, VEGETA WILL PICK US UP FOR SURE!

GEEZ IT'S GONNA TAKE A LONG TIME TO GET THERE AT THIS SPEED...

YOU MUST HAVE ***WAY*** MORE--WITH YOUR SAIYAN BLOOD!

HEY, IF I HAD THIS MUCH....

B-BUT DO YOU REALLY THINK I HAVE TH-THE POWER TO FIGHT VEGETA...?!

MEANWHILE, VEGETA RETURNS TO WHERE HE HID THE DRAGON BALLS HE TOOK FROM FREEZA...

TMP

I HOPE...

...

...I CAN'T AFFORD TO LEAVE THEM!

I JUST HAVE TO WAIT FOR THEM TO ACT...

IF THAT LITTLE BRAT'S GADGET CAN REALLY DETECT DRAGON BALLS, THEN HIDING THEM IS POINTLESS....

IN FACT, IF THEY'RE AFTER THESE SIX...

FEH...

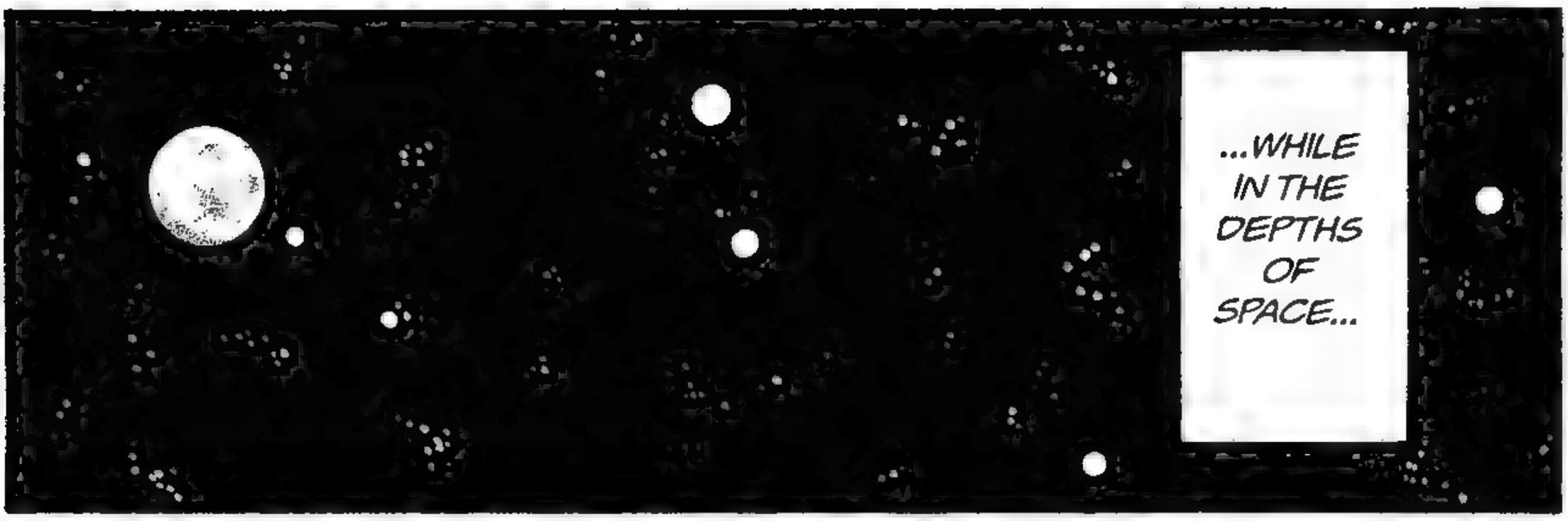
BUT HE COULD'VE RADIOED SOMEONE TO BRING SCOUTERS TO FIND THE BALLS... THEY'D BE HERE IN THREE OR FOUR DAYS...

I DESTROYED THE SHIP'S ENGINES...SO FREEZA SHOULDN'T BE ABLE TO GO ANYWHERE EITHER...

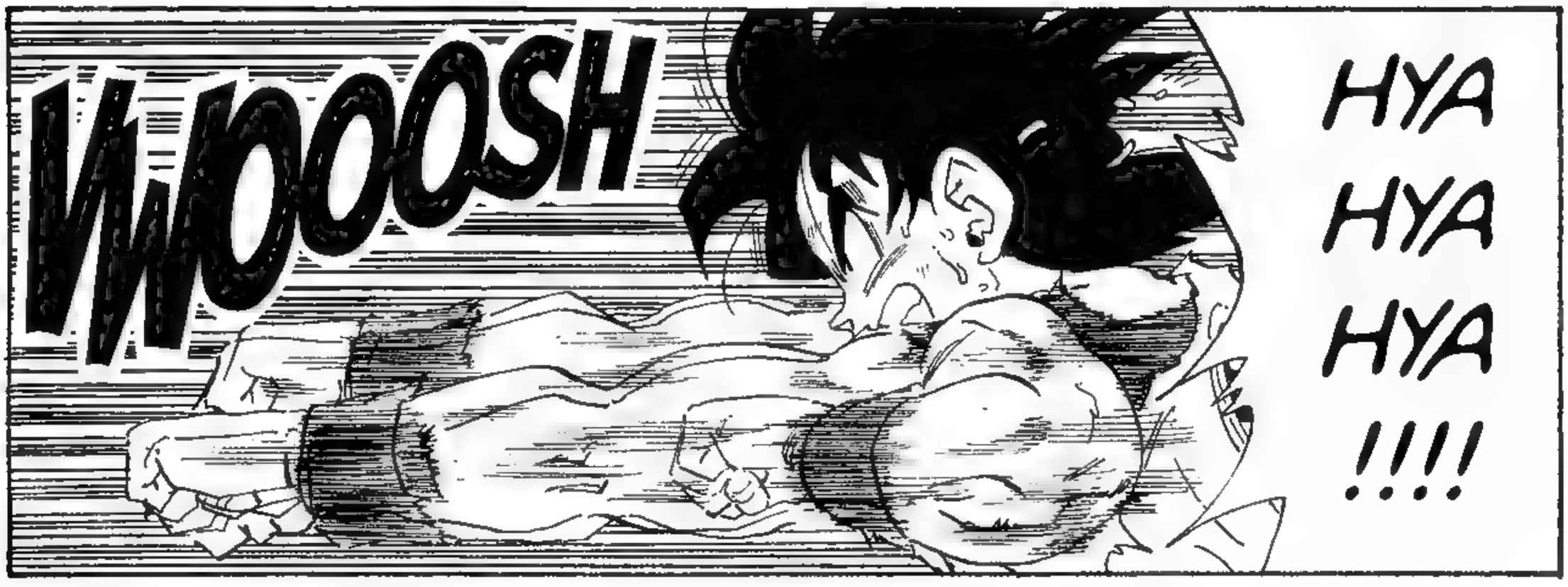
AND SO VEGETA ATTUNES HIS SENSES TO FIND THE **CHI** OF KURIRIN AND GOHAN...

I HAVE TO FIND ALL SEVEN ***NOW*** !!

HE KNOWS THE DRAGON BALLS CAN GIVE ETERNAL LIFE...HE KNOWS I'LL BE ABLE TO DEFEAT HIM IF I ATTAIN IT....


...WHILE IN THE DEPTHS OF SPACE...


VIIIIIN.


WHOOOSH
HYA
HYA
HYA
!!!!


...GOKU CONTINUES HIS GRUELING TRAINING... NOW AT A GRAVITATION OF 100G!
UNH!!!
UNH!!!

AT 100G, A **HUMAN'S** BODY WOULD BE INSTANTLY CRUSHED. IN THE FOUR DAYS SINCE LEAVING EARTH, GOKU HAS PRESSED HIS LIMITS WITHOUT REST... TORTURING HIMSELF!

KA...

ME...

HA...

ME...

--AAA-

AAAA

!!!!

HAA-

AAA--

BAMBAMBAM


HMOOOO
DM
DM
DM
DM
NN...
NNNH...

HUF

HUF

DRAG..

HUF

HUF

DOM

UNNH...

FUMBLE

HMPH !!

SH AH

MUNCH MUNCH

BETTER GO FOR ANOTHER ROUND !

I'LL BE THERE IN A LITTLE MORE THAN TWO DAYS...

I THOUGHT I WAS FINISHED WITH THAT ONE !

NOT MUCH POINT IN TRAINING IF I DIE, IS THERE?

PHEW !!

...AS THE SEVEN BEANS GIVEN TO HIM BY MASTER KARIN ARE ALREADY DOWN TO THREE.

*AROUND AND AROUND HE GOES...WORKING HIS BODY AND CHI ALMOST TO DEATH AND THEN REFRESHING HIMSELF BY EATING THE **SENZU**...*

WHETHER HE REALIZES IT OR NOT, GOKU IS LIVING AND RELIVING ONE OF THE PRIMAL CYCLES OF THE SAIYANS... GAINING STRENGTH BY FACING AND OVERCOMING DEATH!

HYAH !

BAM

AND SO ANOTHER DAY PASSES...

I'VE GOTTA REST UP FOR THE LAST DAY!! I BETTER GET USED TO NORMAL GRAVITY AGAIN!

O-KAY!! THAT'S IT FOR TRAINING !!

I'M SURPRISING MYSELF !

WOW...!! IT HARDLY TIRES ME OUT AT ALL ANYMORE !

BIII! BI- BII!

PSSHHHH

KLONK

...

...

VOONNN

PWAP

SSHHH

PM
PM

I'M A FEATHER !!!

HOO HOO HOO !!!

FYOOOO

HWOO!!! I...I FEEL SO *LIGHT*...

...IT'S LIKE I'M NOT EVEN *HERE* !!!

A *STRONG* FEATHER !!!

CHOOOM

HA HAAH !!

I BET I COULD HANDLE *KAIÔ-KEN* X10 !!

I'M GONNA DO THIS !!!

SHK SHK

AND I'M READY !!

ONLY ONE MORE DAY TO PLANET NAMEK....

SHNOR

SHNOR

...THAT HIS NEW POWERS SURPASS EVEN WHAT SAIYANS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE CAPABLE OF!

EVEN GOKU HASN'T REALIZED...

YOOOO

I SHOULD HAVE BROUGHT THE GINYU FORCE TO BEGIN WITH...

IT HAS BEEN FOUR DAYS... WE MUST CONCLUDE THAT MR. ZARBON HAS EITHER RUN AWAY OR BEEN KILLED...

AND ONCE I HAVE THE SCOUTERS IN HAND...WE WILL FIND HIM WHEREVER HE HIDES...

FORTUNATELY, AS NOTHING DRAMATIC HAS HAPPENED, WE MAY ALSO CONCLUDE THAT VEGETA HAS YET BEEN UNABLE TO COLLECT ALL SEVEN DRAGON BALLS...

BUT THEY WILL BE HERE SHORTLY... WITH SCOUTERS.

BUT I DUNNO IF THE GREAT ELDER'S GONNA LAST THAT LONG...

A LITTLE MORE...

I-IS IT STILL FAR? IT'S BEEN ALMOST FOUR DAYS.

MUNCH

MUNCH

LET'S GO !!!

RIGHT! THAT'S IT, THEN!!

Y-YEAH !

AND DAD'S SUPPOSED TO GET HERE SOON!

EVEN VEGETA'D NEVER SPOT US FROM THIS DISTANCE !

WE'VE GOTTA TAKE THE CHANCE AND SPEED UP!

WE'LL BE THERE IN AN HOUR AT THIS RATE !!

I'VE GOT THEM AT LAST... !!

HEH

KURIRIN'S GUESS WAS WRONG! VEGETA WAS STILL WAITING, STILL CONCENTRATING ALL HIS SENSES...

SSHH

!!!

NEXT: The Ginyu Force!

DBZ:77 • The Enemy of My Enemy...

I'D THOUGHT THEY'D COME AFTER MY DRAGON BALLS...BUT THEY'RE NOWHERE NEAR ME...

I SENSE ONE... *TWO* ENTITIES! MUST BE KAKARROT'S BRAT AND THE BALD MIDGET!

AND IF I TAKE JUST *ONE* WITH ME...THEY STILL WON'T HAVE ALL *SEVEN* EVEN IF THAT WOMAN FINDS THIS PLACE WITH HER WEIRD DEVICE!

DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY'RE SCHEMING... BUT I CAN'T LET A CHANCE SLIP AWAY TO TAKE THE LAST DRAGON BALL FROM THEM....

DMM

ALL RIGHT, THEN !!!

THIS TIME...I LET *NOTHING* STAND IN MY WAY!!!

HYAAAH ~~!!!!

CRASH

HANG ON, GOHAN!! WE'RE ALMOST THERE !!

O-OKAY !!!

BUT I WISH I COULD BELIEVE IT!! THAT STINKING SAIYAN JUST KEEPS GETTING STRONGER AND STRONGER... WITH NO CEILING IN SIGHT!

I SAID THAT GOHAN COULD BE VEGETA'S MATCH IF WE GOT THE GREAT ELDER TO DRAW OUT HIS LATENT POWER...

I CAN FEEL MYSELF GAINING ON THEM!!!

HA HA HA !!!!

KILLIN

AFTER WE BOOST GOHAN'S STRENGTH, WE'RE GONNA HAVE TO WAIT FOR GOKU TO GET HERE AND GO AT HIM ALL *THREE* OF US!

SEE THAT TALL MOUNTAIN?! THAT'S IT !!!

GOHAN, YOU CAN SEE IT NOW!!!!

OH !!!

G-GOHAN!!! S-SOMEONE'S *CHI*...COMING FROM BEHIND US!!!

WHAT ?!

WHOOSH

IT COULDN'T BE...V-VEGETA !!!

N-N-NO WAY... !!!

HURRY!!! GET HIM TO MAKE YOU STRONGER !!!

I'LL TRY !!!

B-BUT... !!!

GOHAN!!! I'LL BUY US SOME TIME!! YOU GO TO THE GREAT ELDER!!!

WH-WH-WHAT SPEED...

FSSSSH...!

SKREE

EEK !!!!

OR DIE *NOW*...

NOW, THEN. YOU TOOK THE DRAGON BALL I HID. I WANT YOU TO GIVE IT BACK...

I'M MADE OF DIFFERENT STUFF THAN YOU.

DON'T BE.

I-I'M SURPRISED YOU FOUND US...

HM ?

WHAT'S THAT ?

HOW AMUSING. THE DUMB... PLAYING *DUMB* !

I...I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT...

N- NO !!!

SO THAT'S WHERE YOU HID IT...!

URK!

THE MOUNTAIN THAT KAKARROT'S SON RAN TO... I SENSE... SOMETHING ELSE...

WWING

HEY !!!!

KOOO SHI

S- STOP !!!!

VANNNG

THIS IS INCREDIBLE... YOU HAVE TREMENDOUS LATENT POWER... YOU ARE NOT AN EARTHLING, ARE YOU...?

UMM... COULD YOU PLEASE HURRY...?!

HE'S HERE.

TP

WAIT, VEGETA!!! IT'S NOT *THERE*!!!

DM

WHAT IS THIS...?

I AM NOT LETTING YOU GO IN.

THEY CALL THIS "ASSISTED SUICIDE"...

ZZZ

WHAT ?!

PHEW...

HUH... ?!

GOHAN'S *CHI* INCREASED !!!

WOO-HOO !!!

GET OUT HERE !!!!

SO... KAKARROT MUST BE HERE!

SHK

TM

!!

WHAT DID YOU DO IN THERE...?! WHY DID YOUR POWER SUDDENLY INCREASE?!

WHAT...?!

IT'S YOU...?!

WHAT ?!

LISTEN!! THE GREAT ELDER SAYS THAT SOMEONE ELSE IS COMING!!

THAT A GREAT UNKNOWN POWER IS HEADING TO PLANET NAMEK.

DENDE... TELL EVERYONE...

WHAT?! Y-YES SIR!!

ITS GOKU!!! GOKU'S FINALLY *HERE* !!!

IT'S A HUGE POWER !!!

I-IT'S TRUE!! SOMETHING'S REALLY COMING...!!

THE GREAT ELDER... ?

THE *GINYU FORCE...* !!!!!

IT CAN'T BE...

IT...IT FEELS LIKE MORE THAN *ONE...!*

B-BUT... THERE'S SOMETHING FUNNY...

N- NO!!! N- NEVER... !!

GIVE ME THE DRAGON BALL! NOW!!!

1... 2... 3... 4... 5 OF THEM!!

NOW DO IT-- OR IT'LL BE TOO LATE !!!

I SWEAR THAT I'LL LEAVE YOU IN PEACE IF YOU DO!!!

THAT COWARD *FREEZA* CALLED THE GINYU FORCE !!!

THEY'LL FIND YOUR BALL WITH THEIR SCOUTERS AND COME TO KILL US ALL!!!

LISTEN, IDIOT! EVERY MEMBER OF THE GINYU FORCE IS ABOUT AS... NO, THEY COULD BE ***STRONGER*** THAN ME! AND THERE ARE ***FIVE*** OF THEM!!

I KNOW YOU THINK WE'RE STUPID, BUT COME ON!!

Y-YOU THINK WE'RE GONNA FALL FOR THAT...?!

THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY!!! MAKE ME IMMORTAL SO THAT I CAN DEFEAT THEM!!!

DON'T YOU FEEL THEIR POWER?!!

N-NO... IT CAN'T BE...

EVEN IF HE HAD THE POWER, HE HAS NO EXPERIENCE IN BATTLE!!!

WE COULD MAKE GOHAN IMMORTAL...

...

I DO FEEL FIVE EVIL POWERS...

HE COULD BE TELLING THE TRUTH...

...

BUT THEN... EVERYTHING WE'VE FOUGHT FOR...

...

IT'LL BE YOUR FAULT IF WE RUN OUT OF TIME!!!!

HURRY UP !!!!

I'M SURE YOU COULD HAVE YOUR WISH AS WELL.

THE DRAGON BALLS CAN GRANT THREE WISHES.

BUT YOU'D BETTER KEEP YOUR PROMISE !!!!

...A-ALL RIGHT... FOLLOW US...!

THREE?! IT'S NOT JUST *ONE* ?!

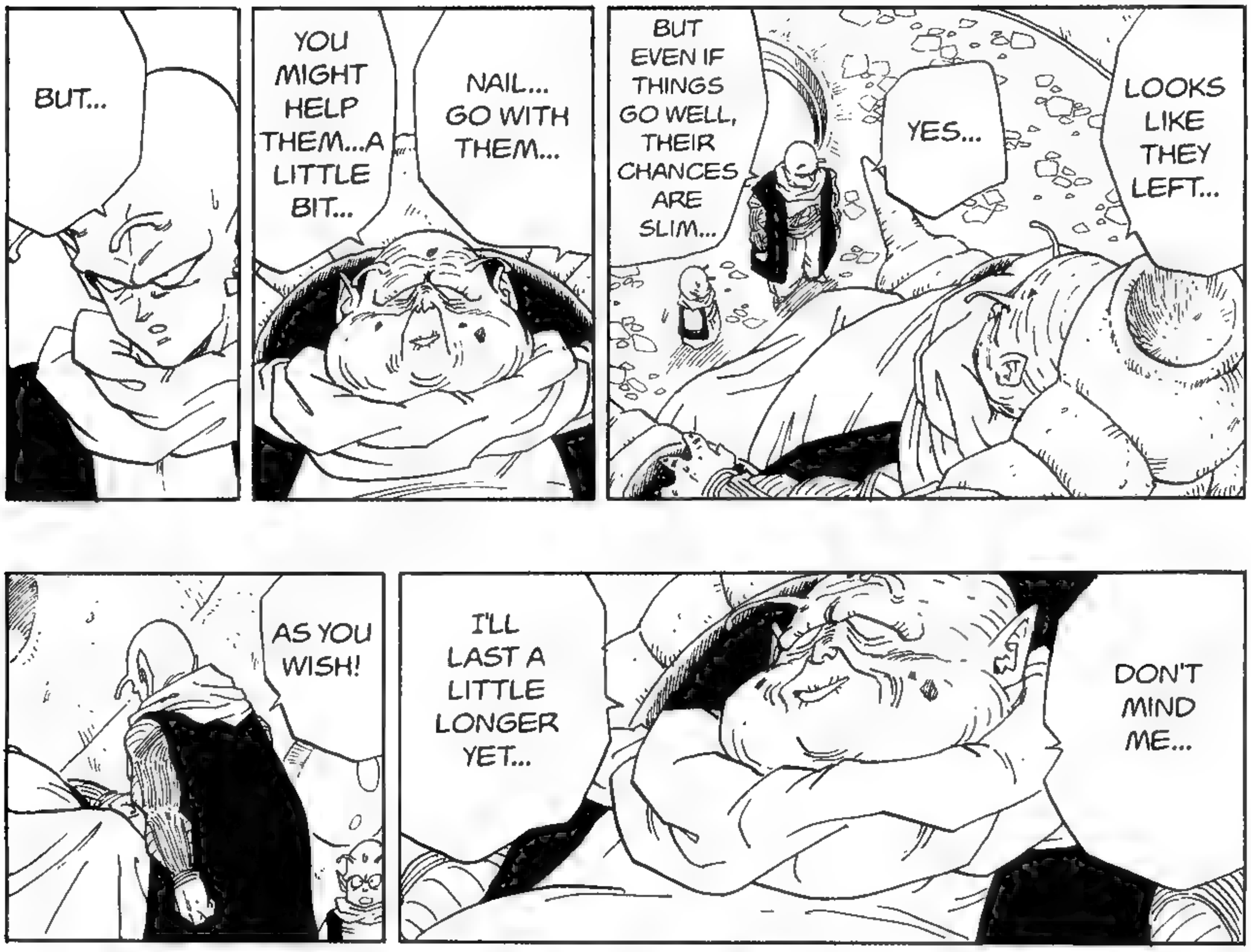
DWOO

ARRGH!

MOVE AS FAST AS YOU CAN !!!!

DWOO

DWOO


BUT...
YOU MIGHT HELP THEM...A LITTLE BIT...
NAIL... GO WITH THEM...
BUT EVEN IF THINGS GO WELL, THEIR CHANCES ARE SLIM...
YES...
LOOKS LIKE THEY LEFT...
AS YOU WISH!
I'LL LAST A LITTLE LONGER YET...
DON'T MIND ME...



NEXT: Race for the Dragon Balls!!!



DRAGON BALL

ドラゴンボール

DBZ:78 • The Ginyu Force



THE GINYU FORCE IS FINALLY HERE! THAT TOOK LONG ENOUGH !

THEY'VE LANDED ALREADY !!!

AREN'T WE THERE YET?!!

WHAT ?!

BULMA !!!

WE'RE TAKING THE DRAGON BALL !!!

HERE !!!

WH-WH-WHAT'S GOING ON HERE?!

MUH.... !!

WHA... !!

TELL ME THAT WASN'T VEGETA JUST NOW!!

HURRY, YOU LITTLE CHUMPS!!! NOW, THIS WAY!!!

VOOSH

VIIIIN

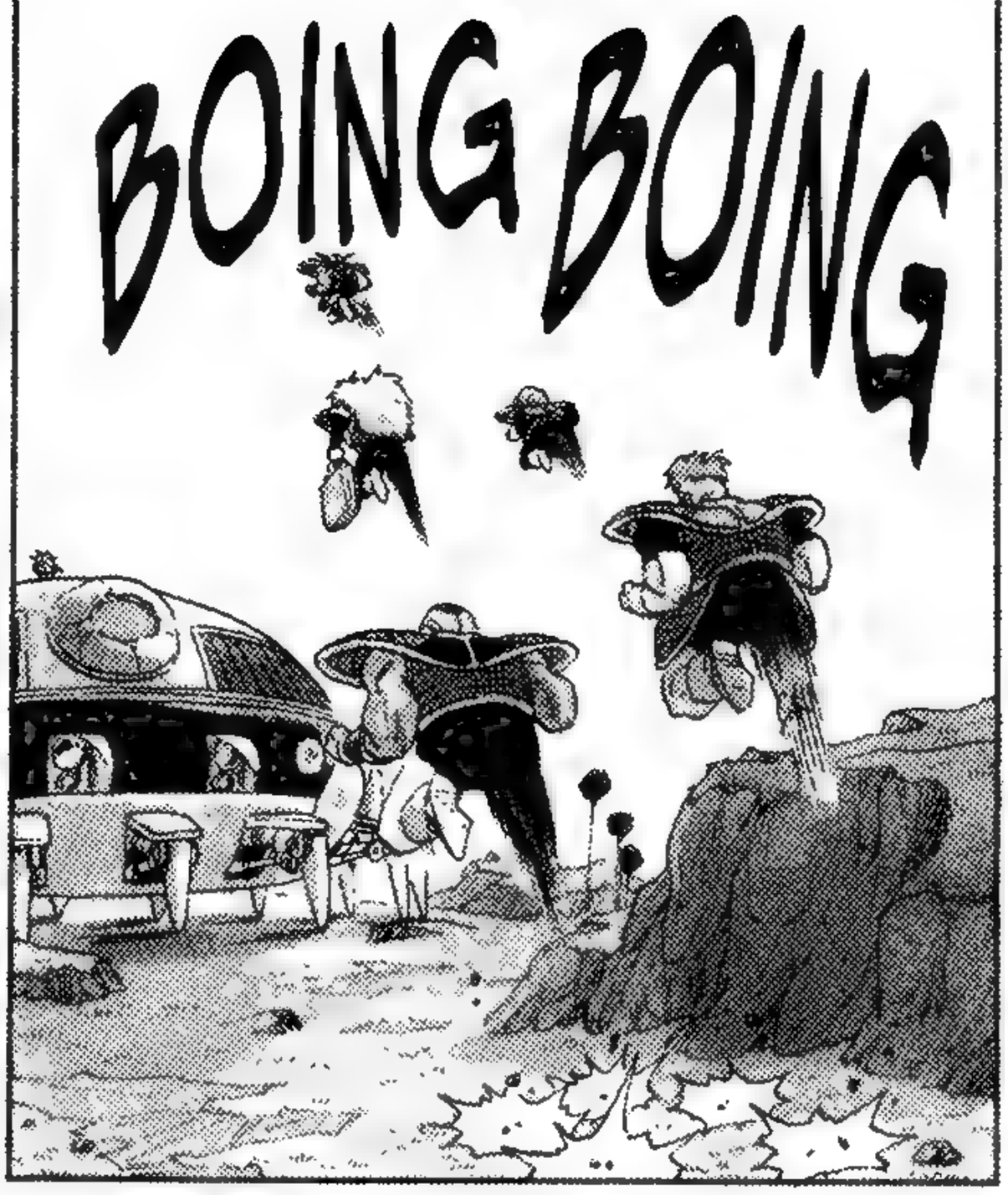
VIIIN


SHK


SHIP


SHIP


SHIP


BOING BOING



REACOOM!!!

HYAH

BUTTA!!!

HYAH

JEESE!!!

HYAH

GURD!!!

HYAH

GINYU!!!

HYAH

TOGETHER, WE MAKE

THE GINYU FORCE !!!!

...

SO, CHIEF... WHAT'S THE JOB THIS TIME?

WE'RE FLAT-TERED !

I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU...

MAKE HIM SUFFER WITHOUT KILLING HIM, THEN BRING HIM HERE. I WANT TO MAKE HIM CONFESS WHERE HE HID HIS CONTRABAND.

THE TRAITOR VEGETA TOOK THE DRAGON BALLS I COLLECTED.

BUT WHO ARE THE TWO WITH HIM? THEY'VE GOT SOME SERIOUS ***CHI*** GOING ON...

HE'S MOVING FAST AT A POINT NOT FAR FROM HERE...

OUR SCOUTERS HAVE ALREADY SPOTTED HIM.

SOUNDS LIKE A SNAP.

KILL THEM.

TWO...? AH... OF COURSE. THE BRATS WHO INTERFERED WITH US BEFORE... SO THEY WERE IN ON IT AFTER ALL...

THANK YOU.

MASTER FREEZA... THE SCOUTERS YOU REQUESTED....

YOU GOT IT. WE'LL BE SURE TO HAVE SOME FUN.

SEE YOU SOON, THEN !

SHOOOOM!

FIGHT !!!

TOGETHER--

KI-I-I-N

THEY'RE FAST, BLAST THEM!!!

TH-THEY'VE STARTED MOVING TOO...!!!!

POW

TWENTY MINUTES UNTIL ARRIVAL ON PLANET NAMEK.

TWENTY MINUTES UNTIL ARRIVAL ON PLANET NAMEK.

PLISH PLASH

SHK SHK

MOOF

SOME-BODY MORE POWERFUL THAN VEGETA, HUH...?

THE NEW UNIFORM I GOT FROM THE LORD OF THE WORLDS WHILE I WAS IN THE HOSPITAL!

HEH HEH.

JUST STAY ALIVE, GUYS...

SHK

HOW COME I'M SO CALM...?

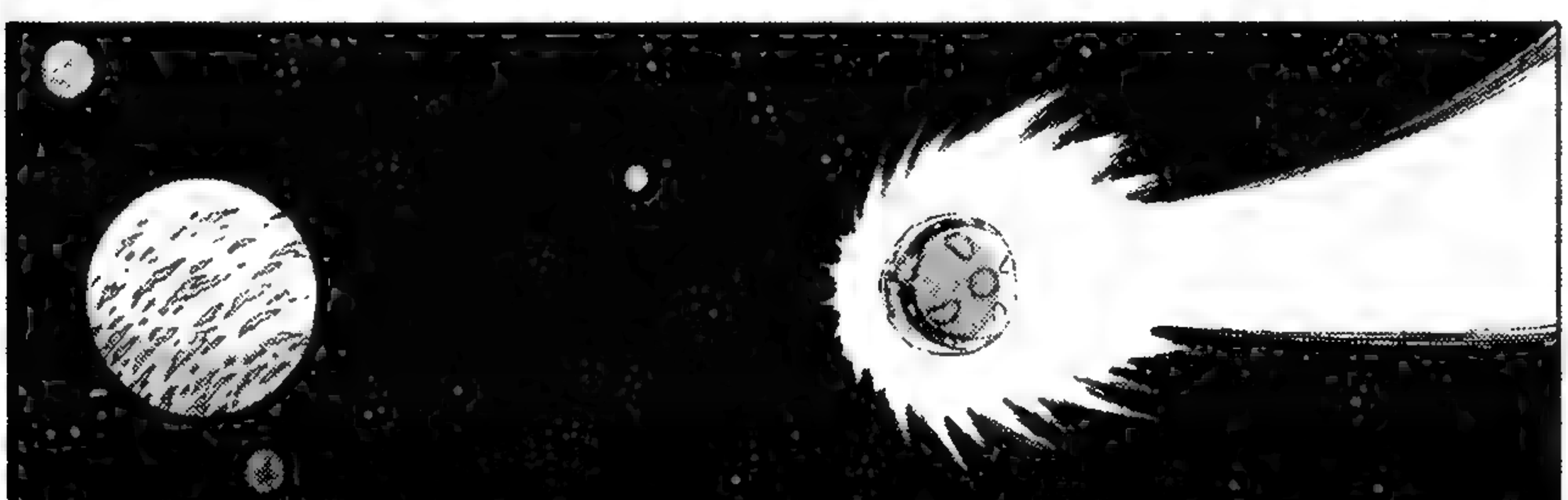
FUNNY... I DON'T FEEL AFRAID...

TEN MORE MINUTES...!

I DON'T GET IT...

THERE'S A BUNCH OF UNBELIEVABLY TOUGH GUYS OUT THERE...

MAYBE TRAINING IN THIS AWESOME GRAVITY DID SOMETHING TO MY BRAIN....



THERE !!!!

SHOOT

WE GOT THEM ALL !!!!

UNH !!!

STRIP

ACK !!!!

YO! VEGETA!

WE WERE SO CLOSE !!

CURSE THEM !!!

S-SO FAST...I DIDN'T EVEN FEEL 'EM COMING...

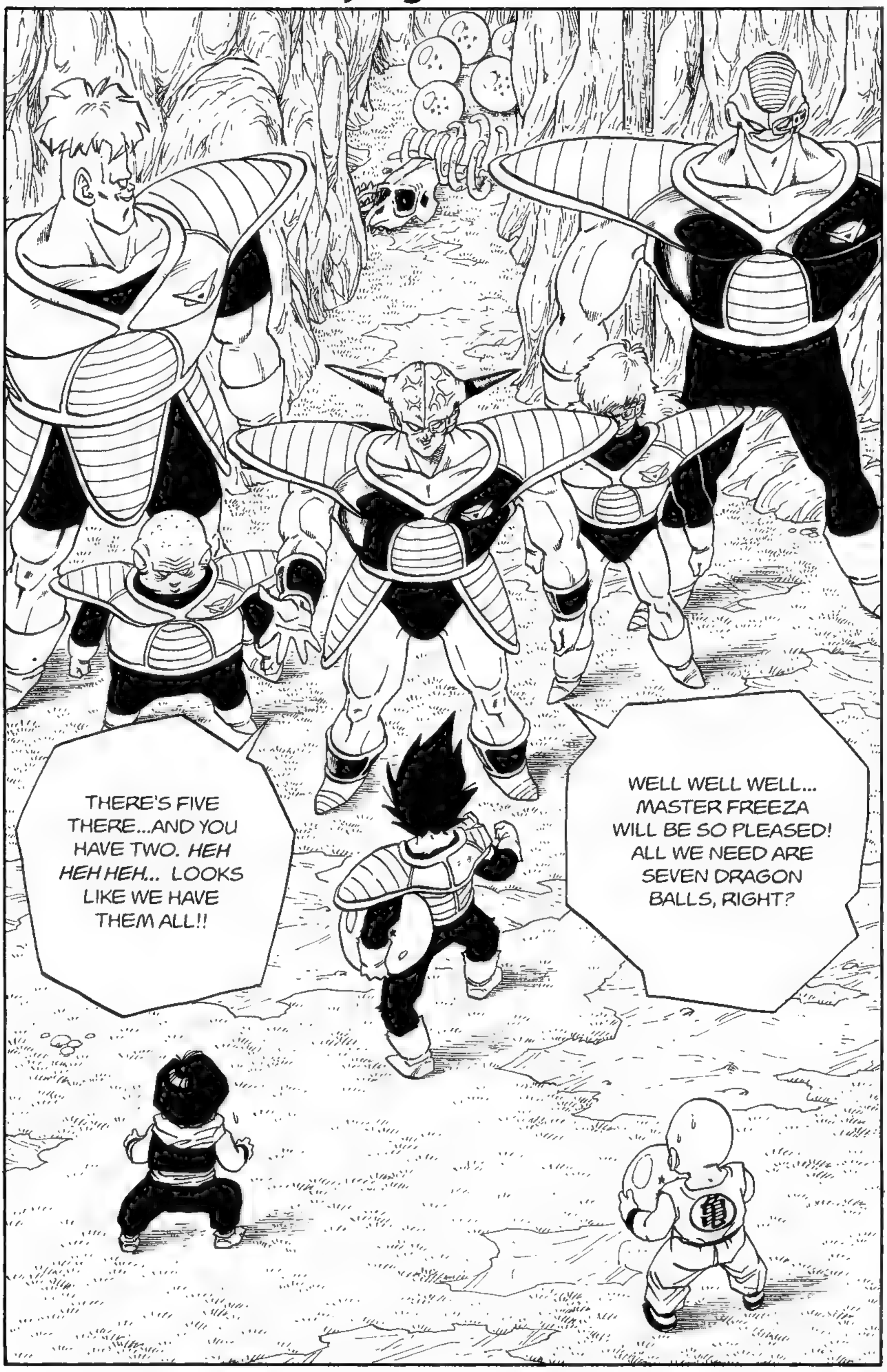
WA... AA... !!

THERE ARE FIVE OVER HERE...

HEY! COULD THOSE BE DRAGON BALLS?

NEXT: Milking the Suspense!

DBZ:79 • Five Deadly Fighters


THERE'S FIVE THERE...AND YOU HAVE TWO. HEH HEH HEH... LOOKS LIKE WE HAVE THEM ALL!!
WELL WELL WELL... MASTER FREEZA WILL BE SO PLEASED! ALL WE NEED ARE SEVEN DRAGON BALLS, RIGHT?

DO YOU THINK I'D JUST HAND THEM OVER TO ***YOU***, GINYU?!

YEESH.... VEGETA WAS T-TELLIN' THE TRUTH...!!

WHERE'D THEY ***GET*** POWER LIKE THAT...?

I'D NEVER BE A MATCH FOR THEM IN A MILLION YEARS!!

NO. I THINK I'LL HAVE TO KILL YOU FIRST.

...IS A TOTAL SHRIMP...

AND THAT ONE...

WHAT'S ***HE*** DOING IN THERE?!

THAT GINYU GUY IS WHOLE ***LEVELS*** ABOVE THE REST...

NOT THAT YOU'RE GETTING AWAY, EVEN IF YOU DO...

WELL, VEGETA? WILL YOU MAKE IT EASY AND GIVE IT UP?

SO WHAT...?

YEAH.

SO THIS !!!

HEH. YOU CAN FIND LIVING BEINGS WITH THOSE SCOUTERS... BUT NOT THESE, RIGHT?

FOW

PSH

TOO BAD *BUTTA* HERE IS THE FASTEST IN THE UNIVERSE!

AHHH, I GET IT... THROW THEM SO FAR THAT WE WON'T BE ABLE TO GET THEM, EH?

H.....

NNH...!

ONE MORE TO GO.

...

...SURE FAST, ALL RIGHT...

...HE WAS...

IT'S THE ONLY WAY--- !!!!

DESTROY IT !!!!

PI NG

HUH ?!

HEY !!

SHFF

NOW WHAT... ?!

WHA... ?

PHEW !

GURD... CAN MOMENTARILY STOP *TIME* !!

CURSE HIM!! SO THE RUMORS ARE TRUE!!

LOOKS LIKE WE'VE GOT ALL SEVEN.

N-N-NO WAY... THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE...

YOU DON'T HAVE TO EXPLAIN IT, JHEESE !

AND BY "PLAY," WE DON'T MEAN PLAY PEEK-A-BOO! WE'RE GONNA BEAT YOU UP!

WE HAVEN'T EXERCISED FOR A WHILE... SO I THINK WE'LL PLAY WITH YOU REEEEEEAL GOOD....

THAT MEANS... IT'S YOUR TURN...

YOU KNOW IT'S USELESS TO RUN...

V-VEGETA... ISN'T THERE ANY WAY OUT...?

YOU GUYS SHOWED ME A LITTLE POTENTIAL BEFORE I MAULED YOU ON EARTH. THINK YOU CAN LIVE UP TO SOME OF THAT NOW?

HEH HEH HEH...

YOU GUYS ROSHAMBO TO DIVVY UP THE TWO DWARVES.

I'LL DO VEGETA.

THE FINAL ROSHAMBO WINNER GETS VEGETA AND THE RUNNER-UP TAKES THE LITTLE ALIENS AS A SET.

OKAY, OKAY. I'LL TAKE THE DRAGON BALLS TO MASTER FREEZA.

SHARE NICELY.

YOU TOOK THE BEST PART LAST TIME TOO!

IT'S NOT FAIR!

YO... CAPTAIN! WHOA!

RO...

SHAM...

YOU'RE AWE-SOME !!!

AREN'T I THE BEST LEADER ?!

C-COULDN'T WE SNEAK OFF WHILE THEY'RE AT IT...?

AGAIN !!

AGAIN !!

BO!!! AGAIN!! AGAIN!!

I GOT VEGETA !!!

ALL RIGHT !!!

DAMN !!

ROSHAMBO !!!

NOW MASTER FREEZA WILL HAVE ETERNAL LIFE.

I GET THE MIDGETS...

FOOEY...

HA HA HA... !!!

OOOO

IT DOESN'T MATTER NOW! JUST CONCENTRATE ON DEFEATING THEM, FOOL!!!

STOP IT!!! DON'T WASTE YOUR ENERGY !!!

UNH... !!

I CAN'T LET THAT HAPPEN !!!

N- NO... !!!

WHAT'S THIS? A PRE-GAME HUDDLE ?

HEH HEH HEH...

HUH ?

HEY YOU... GET OVER HERE...

AS MUCH AS I HATE HIM, HE COULD BE A LITTLE HELP...

HE BETTER GET HERE SOON...

B-BUT HE'S ON HIS WAY...

N- NO...

HE SHOULD ALMOST BE HERE BY NOW...

...BY THE WAY, IS KAKARROT REALLY NOT HERE YET... ?

...

THIS LITTLE SNOT GURD YOU'RE GOING TO FIGHT HAS LOW BATTLE STRENGTH, BUT USES PSYCHIC POWERS. DON'T LET DOWN YOUR GUARD!

TH-THERE'S NO POINT IF PICCOLO DOESN'T COME BACK TO LIFE...

WH-WHAT WAS THE POINT OF US COMING ALL THE WAY HERE... IF WE COULDN'T GET THE DRAGON BALLS...?

C'MAWWWN, DUDES! LET'S GO!

SHK

DOES THIS LOOK LIKE A JANITOR'S UNIFORM?

HMPH...

FINE FINE...

THEY'RE IN THE WAY! GURD, YOU CLEAN UP THE TWO PEE-WEES FIRST!

THEY'VE NEVER BEEN SERIOUS ABOUT ANYTHING...

THEY THINK THIS IS A GAME... ARROGANT FOOLS...

ALL RIGHT... HERE WE GO...

GOHAN, REMEMBER THE IMAGE TRAINING WE DID ON THE SPACESHIP...

R-RIGHT...!

RELEASE YOUR CHI !!!!!

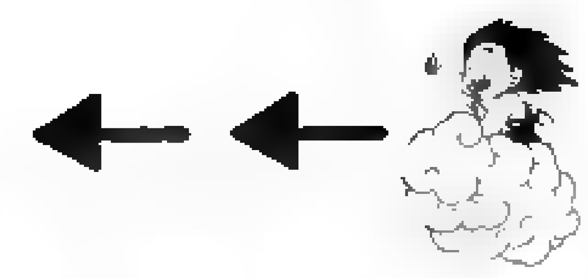
SIGH... THIS IS GOING TO BE OVER BEFORE WE KNOW IT.

DOWN

FASSSH

UH ?!

Pi Pi Pi

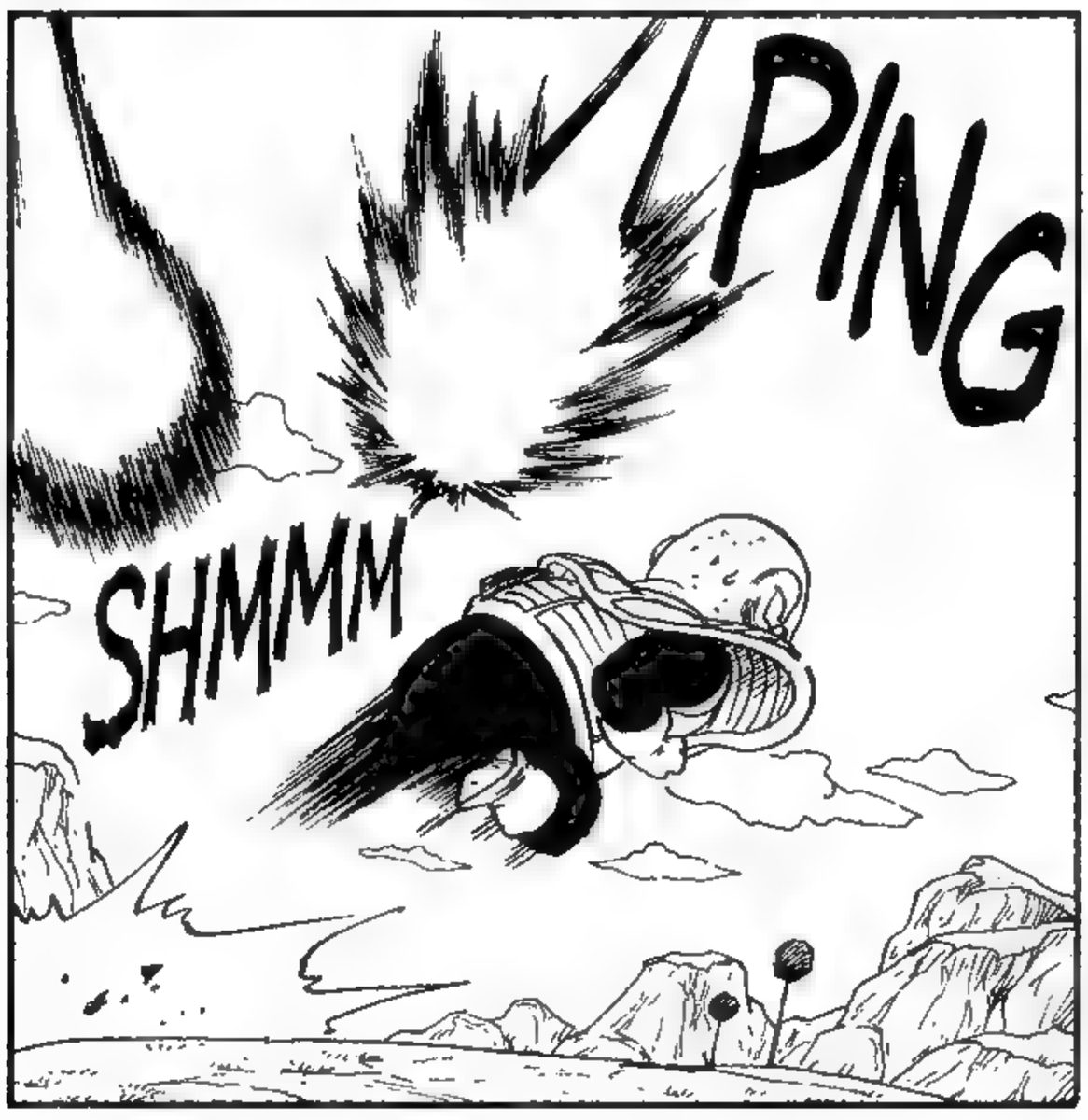


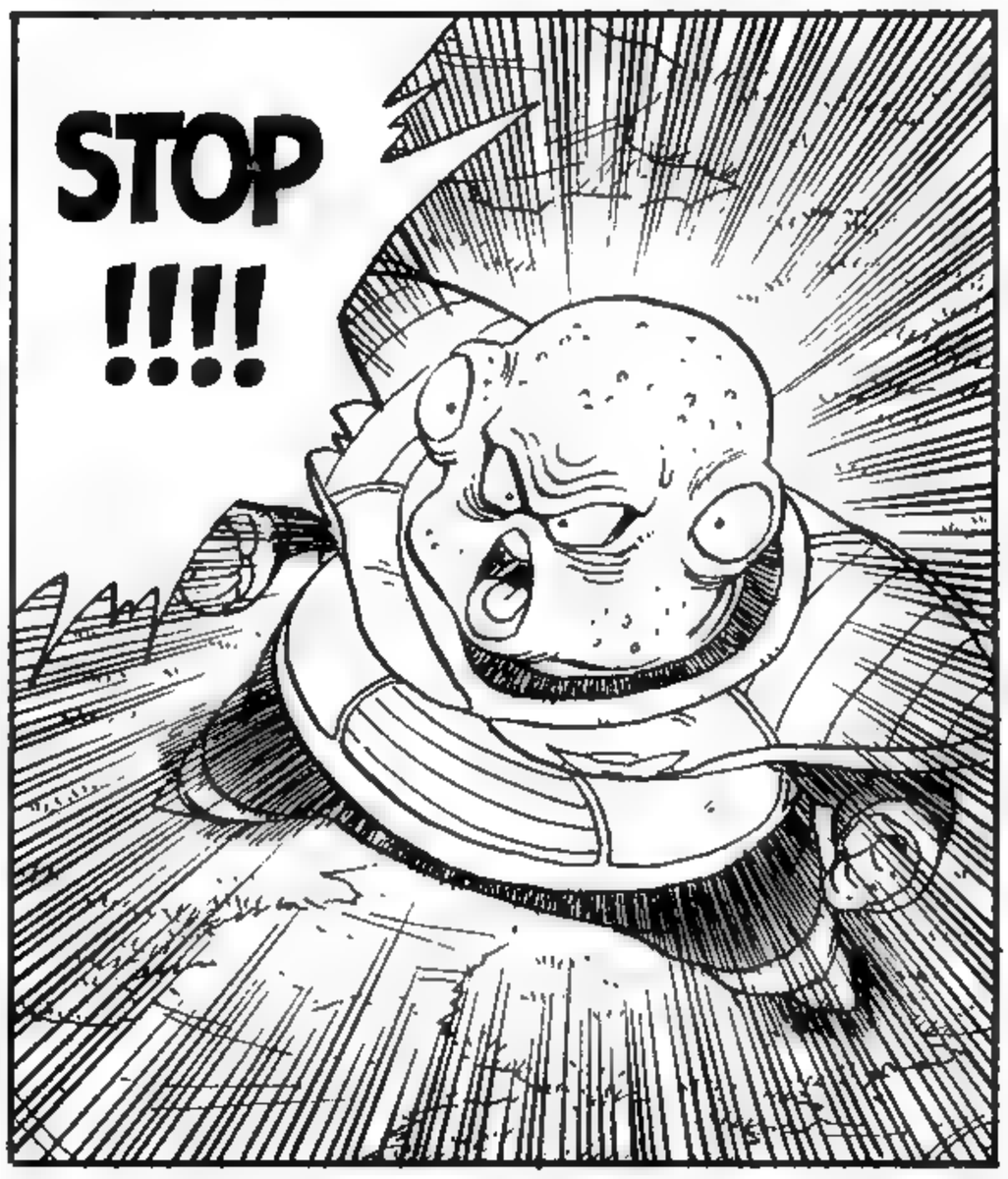


NEXT: Out of Time!!!



DBZ:80 • Gurd's Psychic Powers





BRATS !!!

SHK

THERE THEY ARE!!!

OH... !!!

TH- THEY'RE NOT THERE !!!

...WAY OVER THERE ?!!!!

B-BUT HOW'D THEY GET....

BUT WHERE ARE THEY ?!

I CAN'T HOLD TIME ANY LONGER...!!!

D-DAMMIT...!!!

ZAWARUDO

PHEW!

OVER HERE!!!!

!!

HE MUST'VE STOPPED TIME AGAIN!!!

HE WASN'T THERE!!!

THEY DISAP-PEARED !!!

STOP !!!

S-

SHHH

SHHH

HUH ?!!

PING

T-TAKES TOO MUCH POWER TO HIT WHILE I'M FREEZIN' TIME...!!

TH-THEY'RE SO CLOSE ALREADY... !!!

UNH !!!!

GOTTA.... HIDE BEHIND THE ROCKS... ATTACK WHILE THEY'RE CONFUSED!!

* HUF *
* HUF *

NOW !!!

NNNH !!!!

THERE !!!

HOW DO THEY KNOW... ?!!!

H-

I-I CAN'T STOP TIME ANY-MORE... !!!

VOOON

YEEEE HAIN~!!!!

M-
MY
BODY...
!!

GRNN...
!!

UH...
UNH...

...ON
THESE
SMALL-
TIMERS...

HUF

HUF

NEVER...
THOUGHT....
I'D BE
USING
TELE-
KINESIS...

I-IT
WON'T
MOVE...
!!!!

H-HOW
DID THEY
KNOW
WHERE
I WAS
WITHOUT
SCOUTERS...
?!

WHO
IN
THE
WORLD
ARE
THEY...
?

I-I'LL MAKE A SHISH KEBAB OUT OF YOU...

HUF

HUF

HEH HEH... MAYBE YOU'LL TASTE GOOD ROASTED...

UHH... GRR... !!

WOW.... WHO'D'VE THOUGHT... ?

THOSE SQUIRTS MEASURED OVER 10,000!

TMP

TMP

TMP

LOOK AT HIM! HE NEVER USES TELE-KINESIS!

HEH HEH... GURD MUST'VE PEED HIS UNIFORM....

HEH HEH HEH... YOU GOT FUN FRIENDS, VEGETA!

BEINGS WHO CAN RAISE THEIR BATTLE POWER WITHOUT CHANGING FORM ARE QUITE RARE.

TH-THOSE FOOLS!! I TOLD THEM TO BEWARE OF HIS PSYCHIC POWERS, AND THEY'RE ATTACKING HIM HEAD ON!!

!!!

HEE HEE HEE!! WHAT'S WRONG? YOU BETTER RUN, OR THIS LOG IS GOING TO IMPALE YOU!!

HAH !!

KRAK

TELL YOU WHAT...I'LL TAKE CARE OF ONE OF YOU RIGHT NOW, AND THEN I'LL USE A DIFFERENT PSYCHIC POWER TO PLAY WITH THE OTHER ONE... NICE AND SLOW!

HEE HEE HEE...! I GUESS YOU CAN'T MOVE, YOU POOR THINGS...

GRRR... !!!!

UNGH... !!!

NOTHING...!! MY...MY NERVES ARE ALL NUMB ...!!!

GOHAN... CAN'T YOU... DO SOMETHING... ?!!

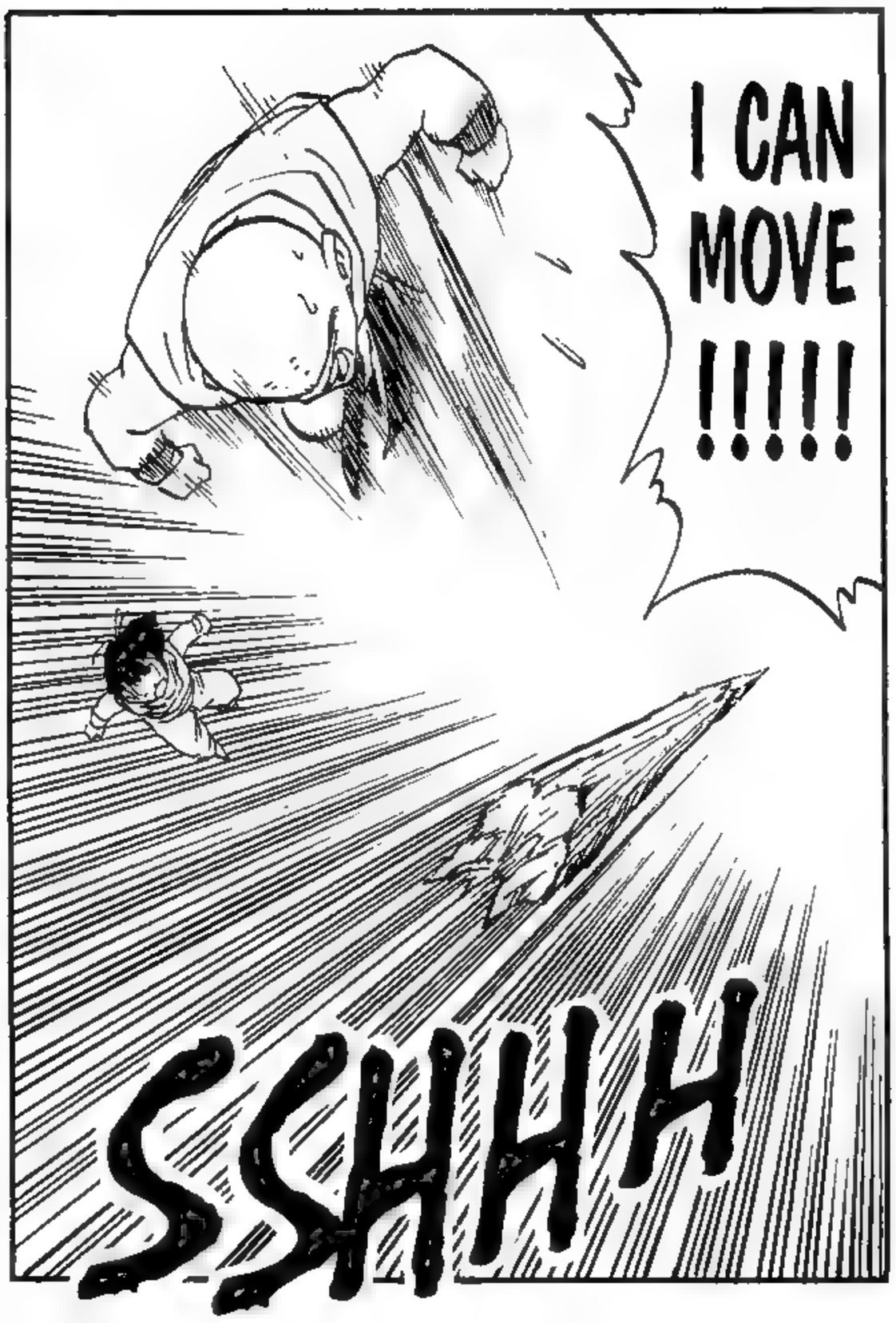
GRRRR... !!!!

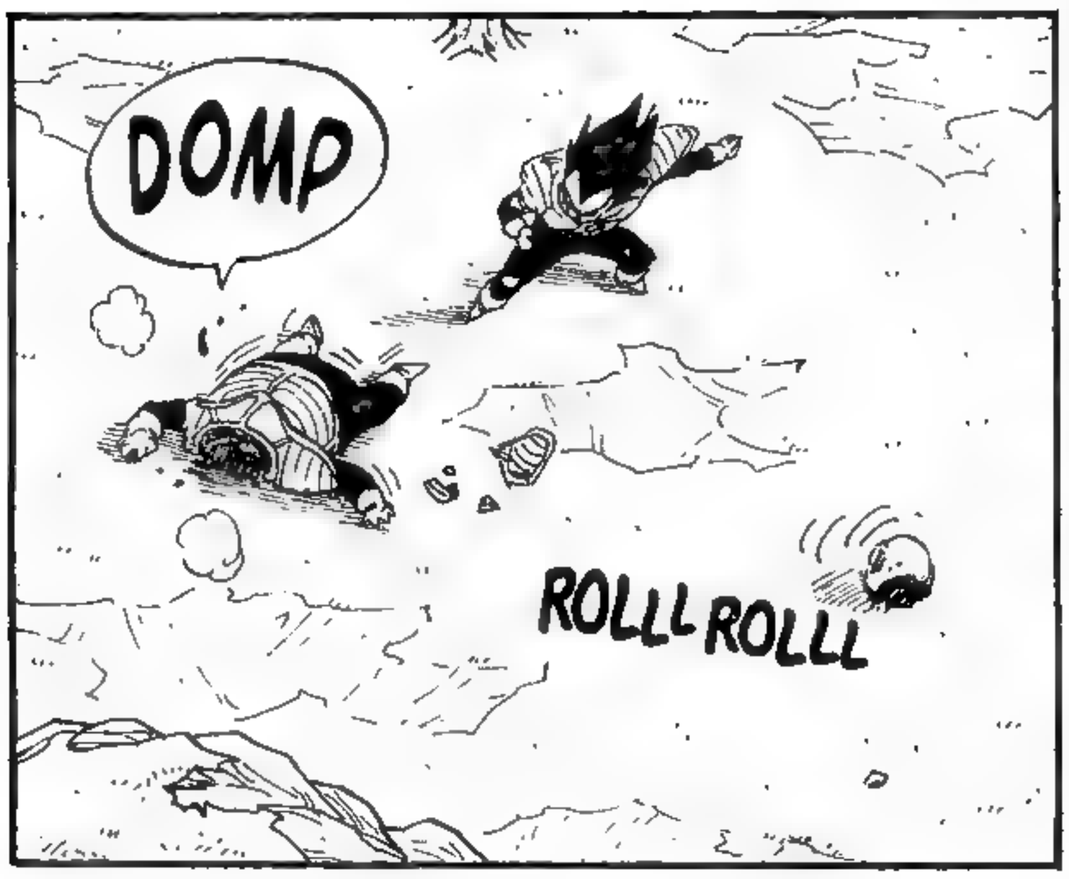
HA HA HA... HERE !!!!!

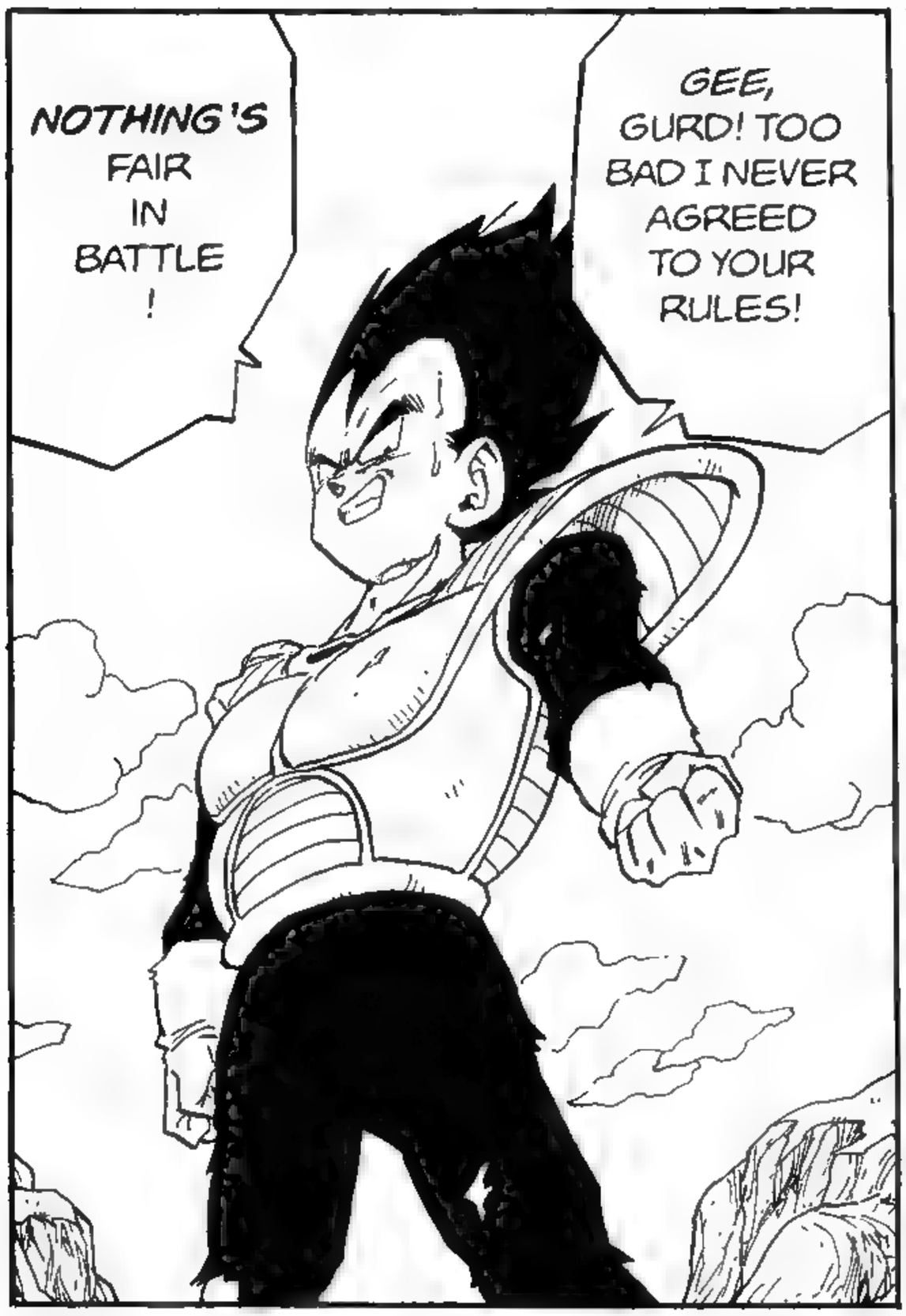
KOO

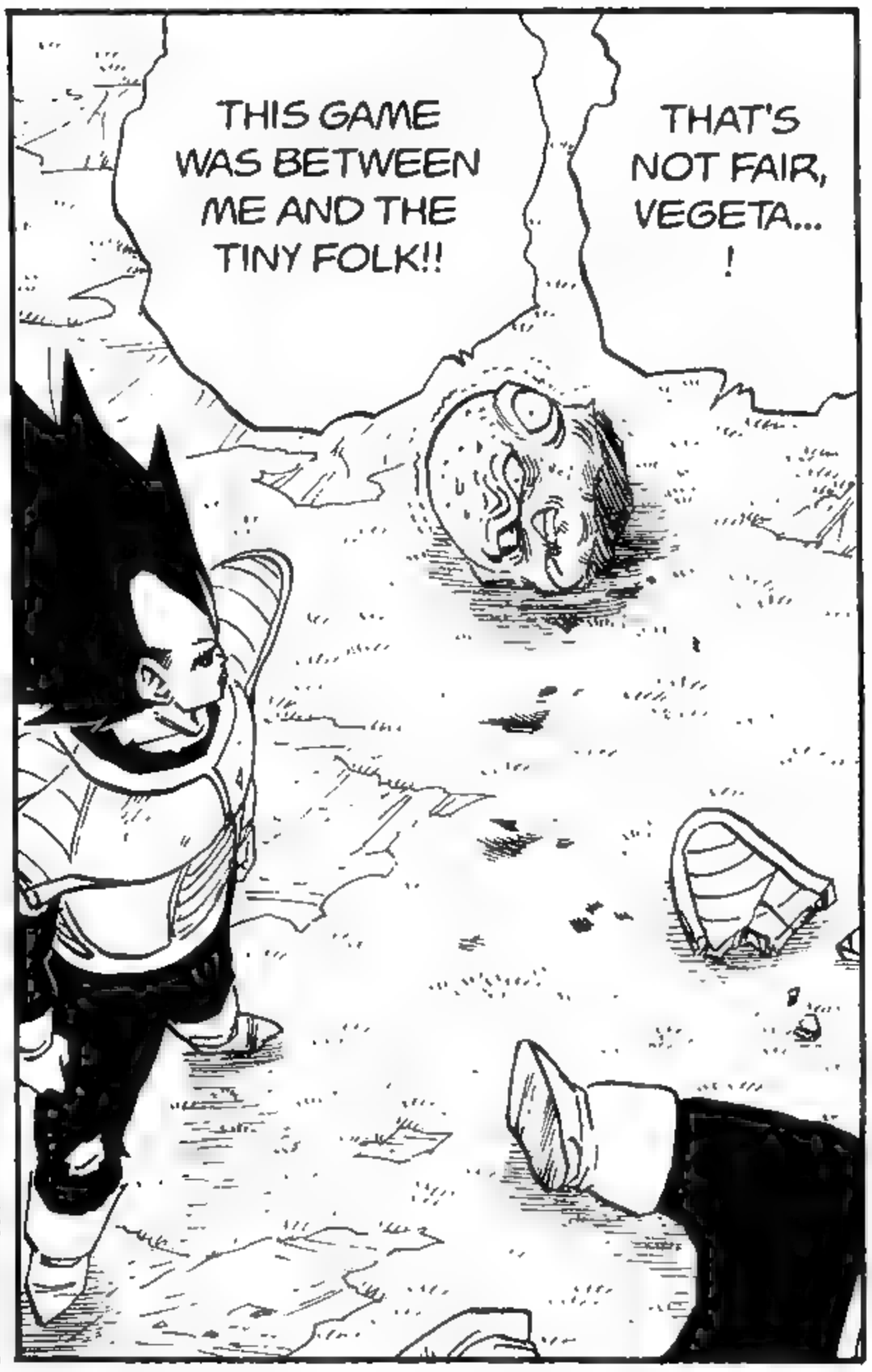
TWIK


!!


I CAN MOVE !!!!!
SSHHH


DOMP
ROLLL ROLLL


NOTHING'S FAIR IN BATTLE !
GEE, GURD! TOO BAD I NEVER AGREED TO YOUR RULES!


THIS GAME WAS BETWEEN ME AND THE TINY FOLK!!
THAT'S NOT FAIR, VEGETA... !

BM

POOR GURD !

!!

THAT TICKS... ME... OFF...

I N-NEVER THOUGHT...I'D BE KILLED BY A MONKEY-BUTT SAIYAN LIKE YOU...!!

DOOM

THAT WAS JUST THE WARM-UP...

AND DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME FEELING "SAVED"...

YOU THINK I DID THIS TO SAVE ***YOU*** LITTLE FLECKS OF TRASH?! DON'T *MAKE ME SICK!* IT WAS JUST THE PERFECT CHANCE TO DO AWAY WITH THIS PATHETIC LITTLE ***GURD,*** THAT'S ALL!

TH-THANK YOU...

I-I NEVER THOUGHT W-WE'D BE SAVED BY ***YOU!***

WE'LL HAVE TO GET CAPTAIN GINYU TO THINK UP A NEW POSE THAT WE CAN DO WITH FOUR...

YEAH! WITHOUT ALL FIVE OF US, THE SPECIAL FORCE'S FIGHTING POSE JUST WON'T LOOK COOL!

WHAT A TRAGEDY...

YO
YO **YO!**
GURD WAS DEFEATED
!!

THESE GUYS SEEM A LITTLE... PECULIAR...

...

I STILL HAVE VEGETA !

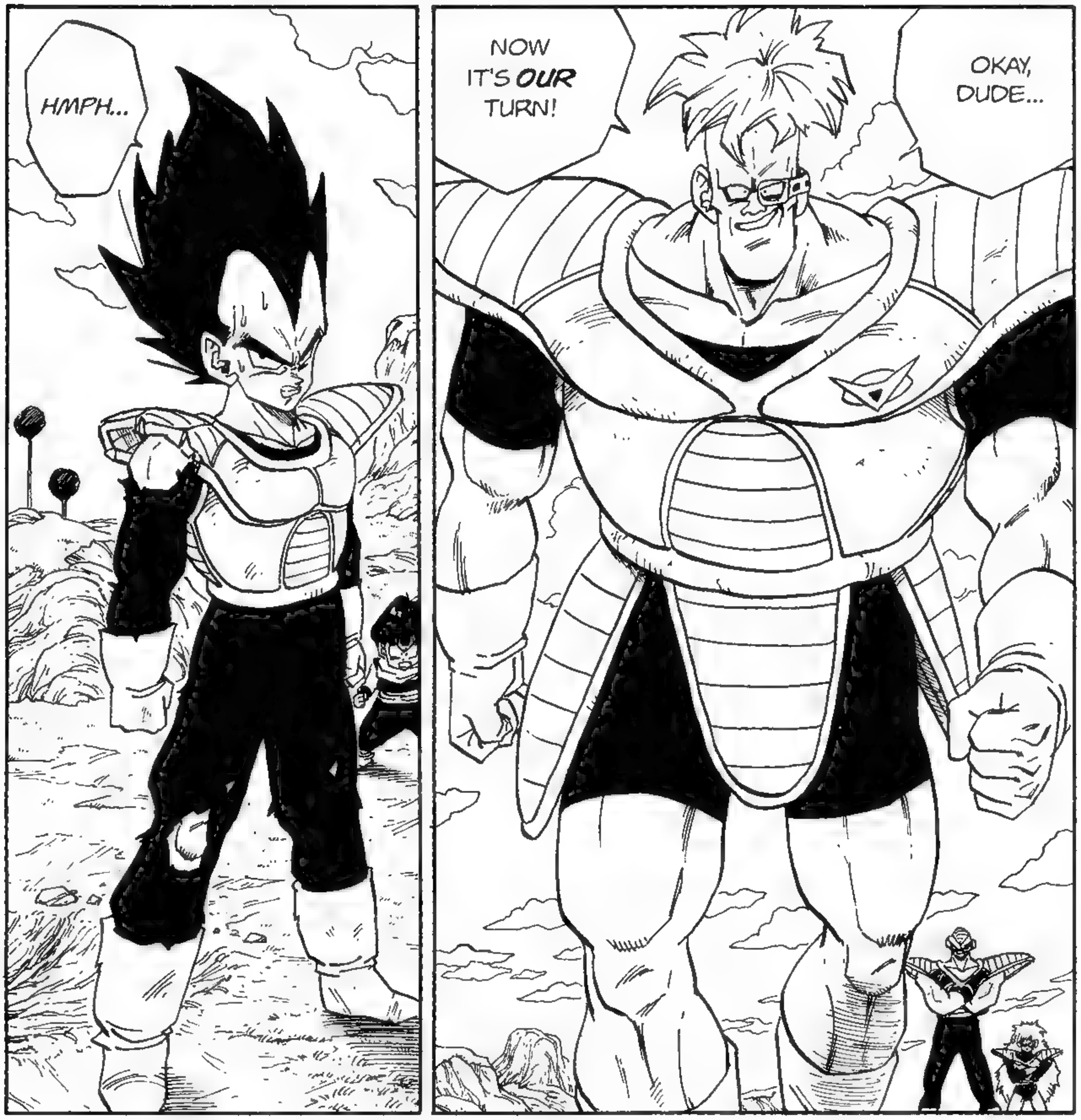
RO... SHAM... BO !!

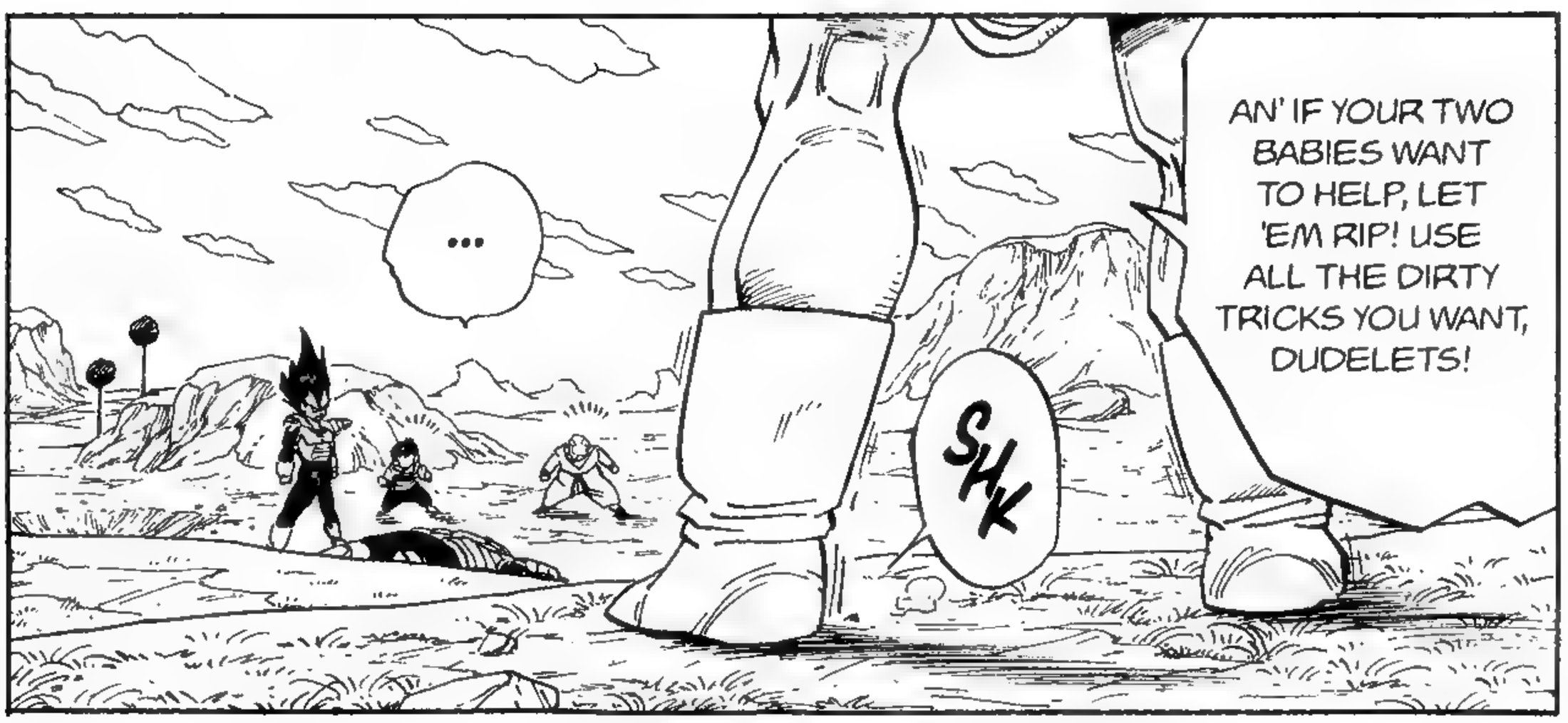
HEY! NOW WE'VE GOTTA DECIDE WHO'S GONNA WIPE OUT THE TWO MINIATURES FOR REAL!

NOW THE ***REAL*** HELL BEGINS...

NEXT: Vegeta Strikes First!!!

DBZ:81 • Vegeta vs. Reacoom





...MAKIN' FUN OF US?!

H-HEY... ARE THEY...

WHOA, DON'T YOU KILL THE MIDGETS, BRO! THEY'RE OURS!!

CLAP

SPECIAL FORCE !

GINYU...

REA-COOM !!!

HAIYAH !!!!

...

...

HAIII...

WWW

HWOOO

WH-
WHOA...
!!

I-
IMPOS-
SIBLE...

VEGETA'S
BATTLE
STRENGTH
IS AT 20,000...
AND STILL
RISING!

WHUH
?

pi
pi
pi
!!

YAAA
!!!

DOMM

BLAM

BAM

BOOM

ZUBB

GLOM

THOK

RYAAH !!!

BKOOM

HYOHHH...



G-GET DOWN !!!!

ACK... !!!!

KAAAM

IT'S NOT... OVER YET... !!!!

DMDMDMDM

HUFF

HUFF

ZAM

DOOM

...HE...

HE DID IT...!!

!

UNH... !!!

YOU GOTTA ADMIRE THAT STINKIN' EVIL CREEP...!

WOW... H-HE SETTLED THAT IN ONE BLOW...!!

HYOOOO

HST

H-HE COULDN'T... POSSIBLY...

H-H-HE'S ALIVE...

...A... A *CHI*...

HYOOOO

H-HE'S STILL ALIVE...!!

YO!

GACK...

...EVEN WOUNDED...

H-HE ISN'T...

NOW, LET'S ***REALLY*** GET STARTED!!

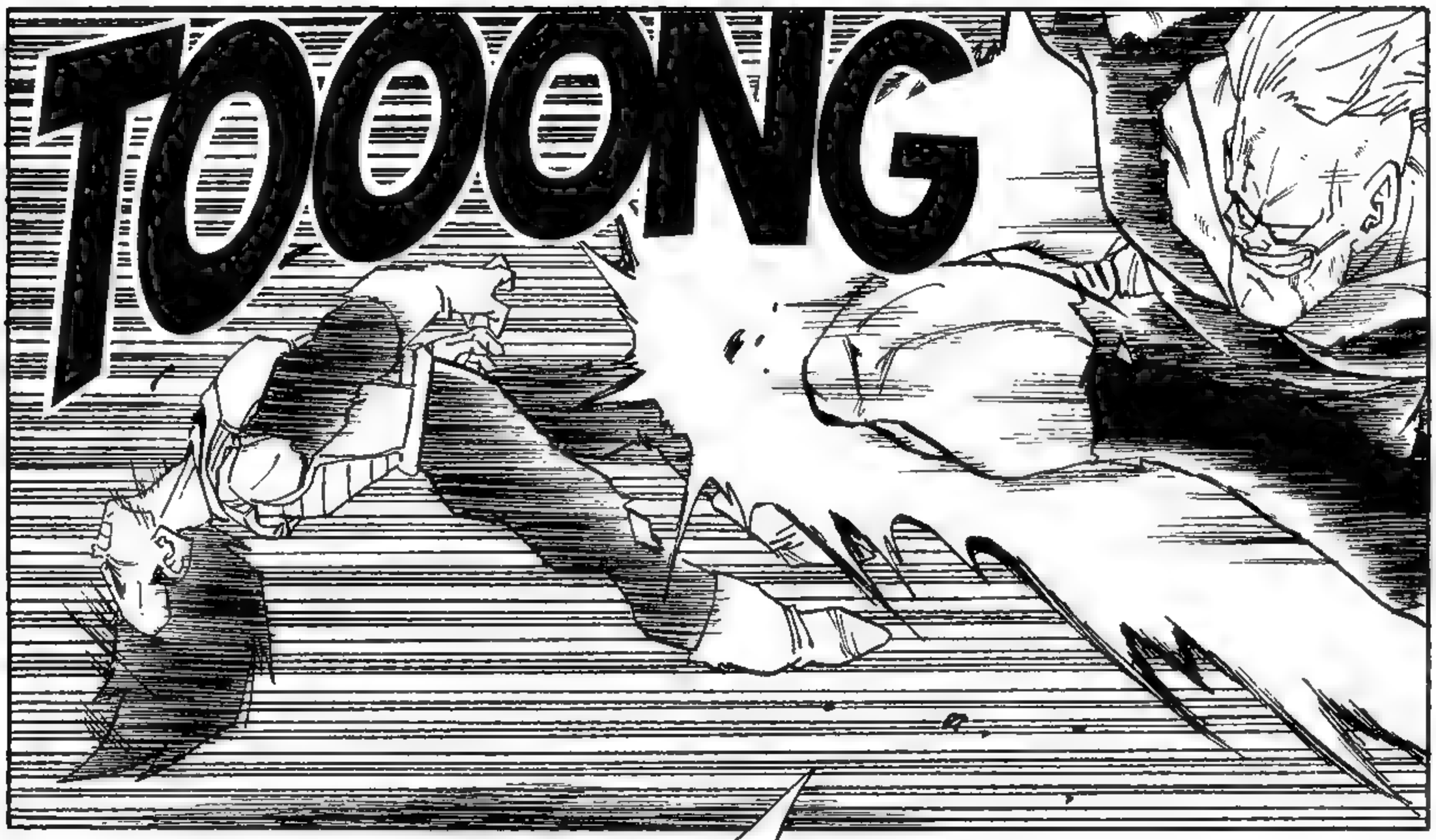
THAT'S ENOUGH WARM-UP FOR ME!

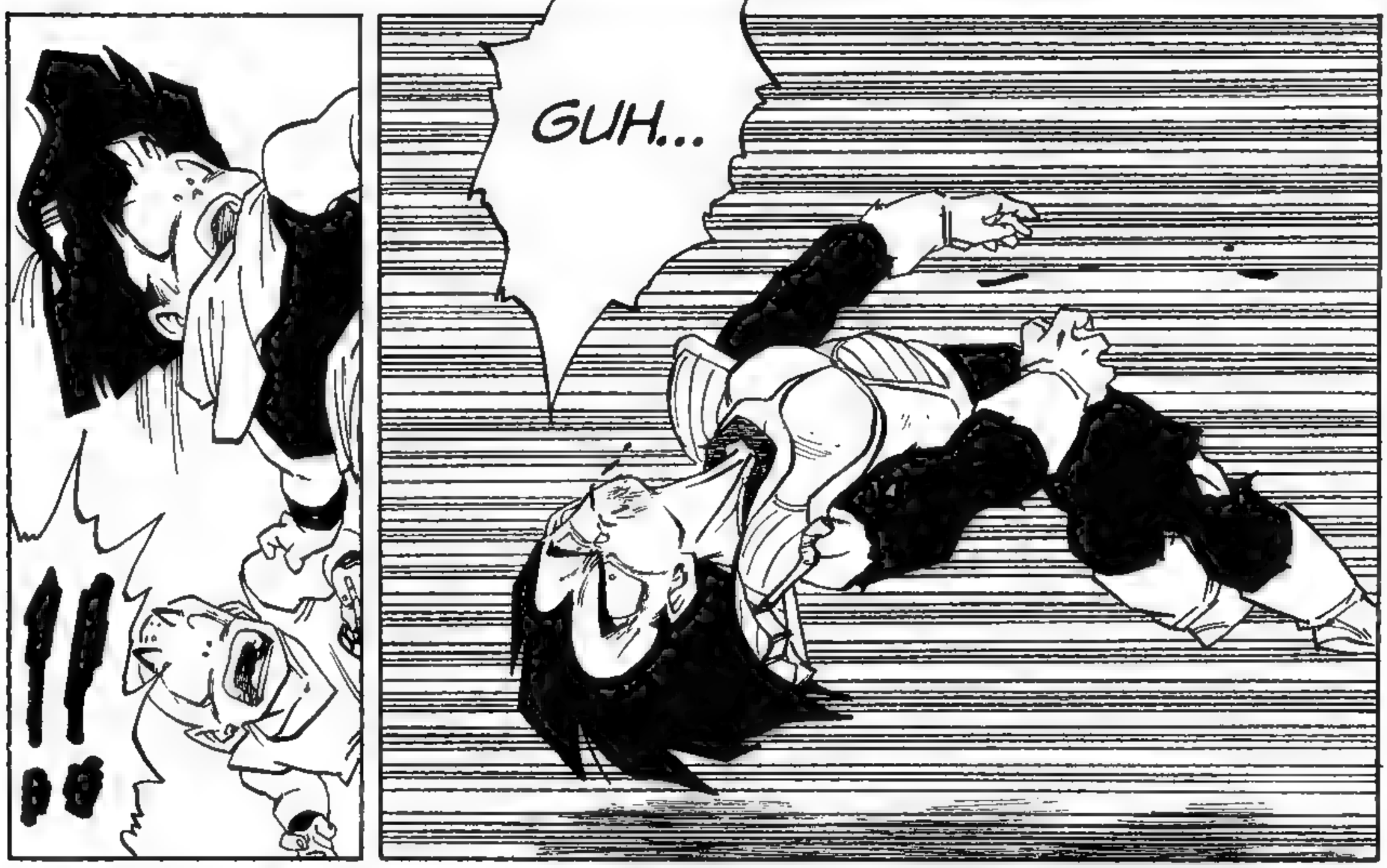
KICK !

REA- COOM !!!!

EXHIBI- TIONIST! NOW WE'RE ALL DUSTY!



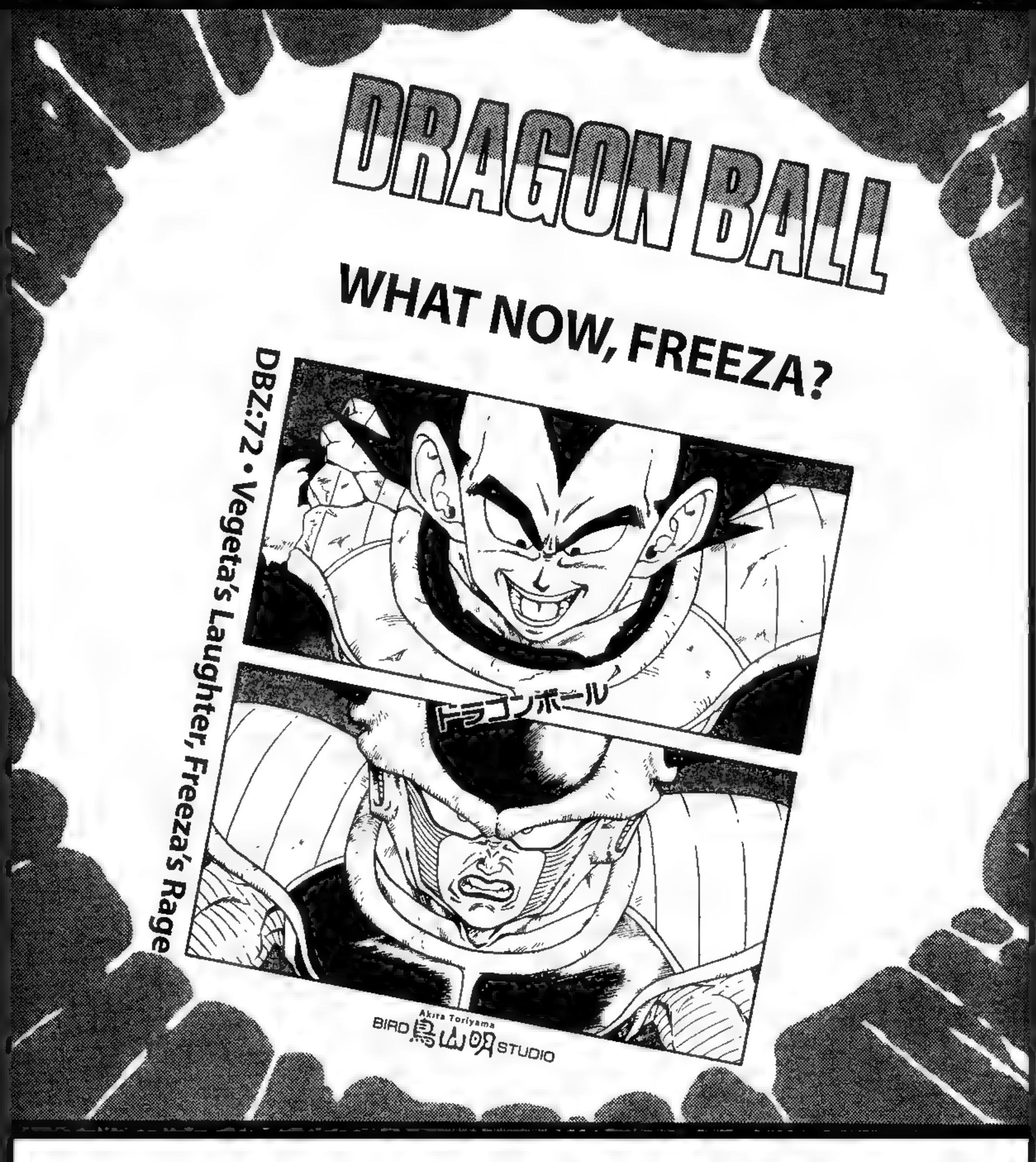




NEXT: The Real Battle!



TITLE PAGE GALLERY



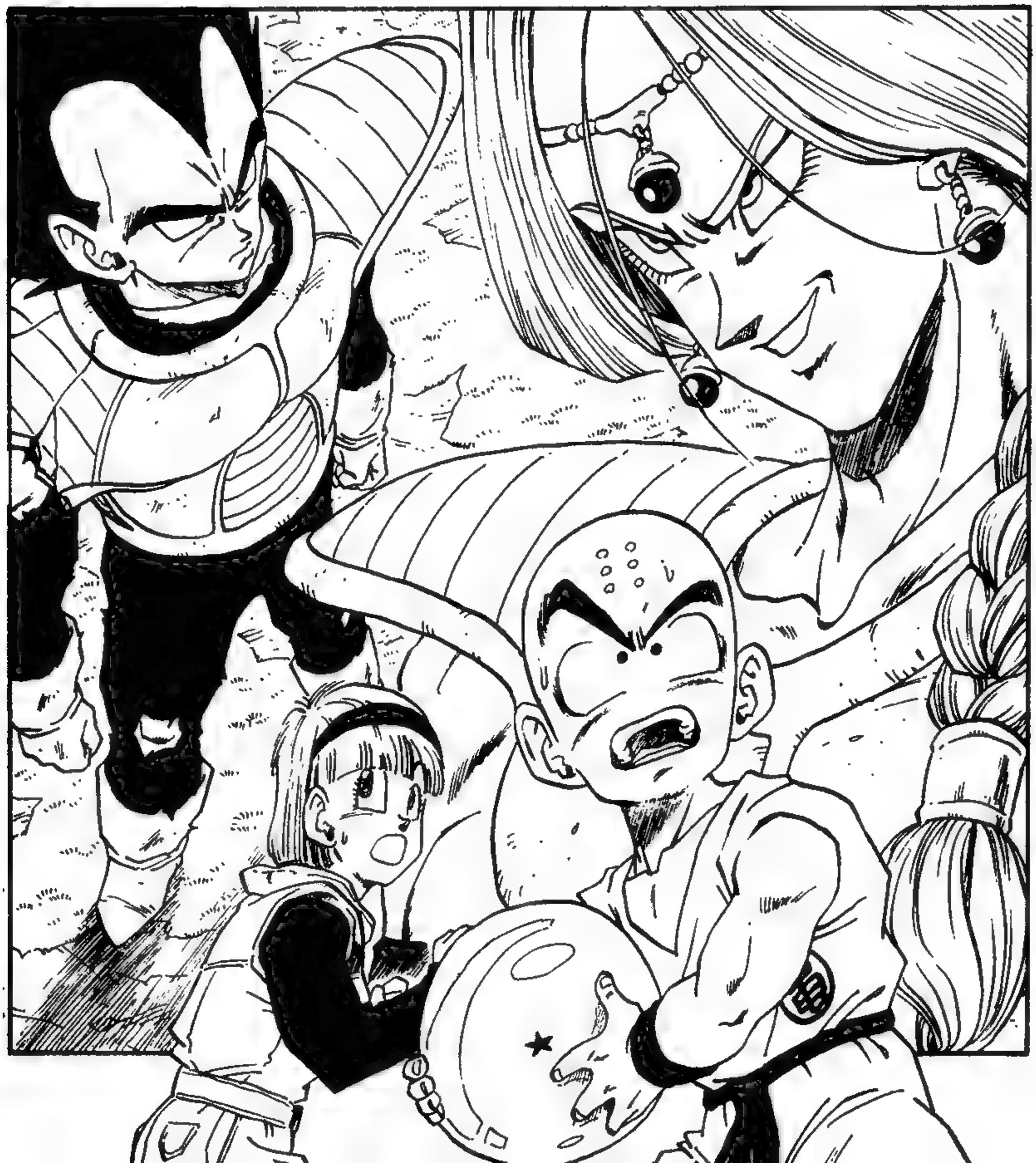
Here are the title pages which were used when these chapters of **Dragon Ball Z** were originally published in Japan in 1990 in **Weekly Shonen Jump** magazine.

DRAGON BALL

DBZ:73 • Reunion of Terror!

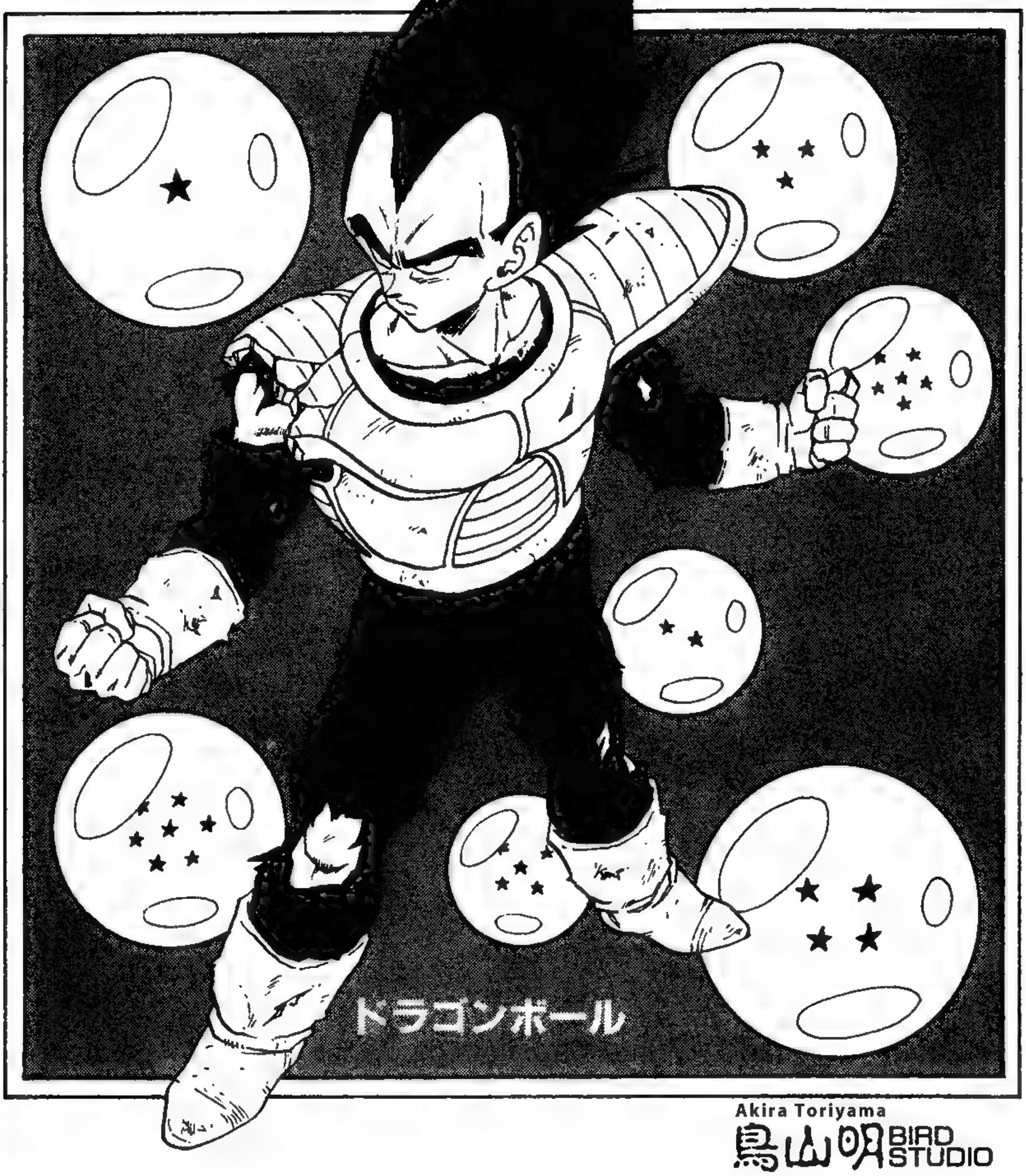
BETWEEN A ROCK AND A HARD PLACE!! BULMA & KURIRIN'S CHOICE OF TWO DEATHS!!!

Akira Toriyama
鳥山明
BIRD STUDIO



DRAGON BALL

SOON, ALL THE DRAGON BALLS WILL BE MINE!



Akira Toriyama
鳥山明 BIRD STUDIO

DRAGON BALL

DBZ:75 • Brains and Brawn



Akira Toriyama

鳥山明 BIRD STUDIO

DRAGON BALL

JUST WAIT...I'LL SHOW YOU MY NEW POWER!

DBZ:76 • Premonitions of War



Akira Toriyama

BIRD STUDIO

DRAGON BALL

EVEN VEGETA'S AFRAID OF...

THE GINYU FORCE!!!



Akira Toriyama

BIRD 鳥山明 STUDIO

DRAGON BALL

DEATH BY ROSHAMBO!!!

DRAGON BALL

DBZ:80 • Gurd's Psychic Powers

Akira Toriyama
鳥山明
BIRD STUDIO



IT'S THE GINYU FORCE SPECIAL FIGHTING POSE!!!!

DRAGON BALL

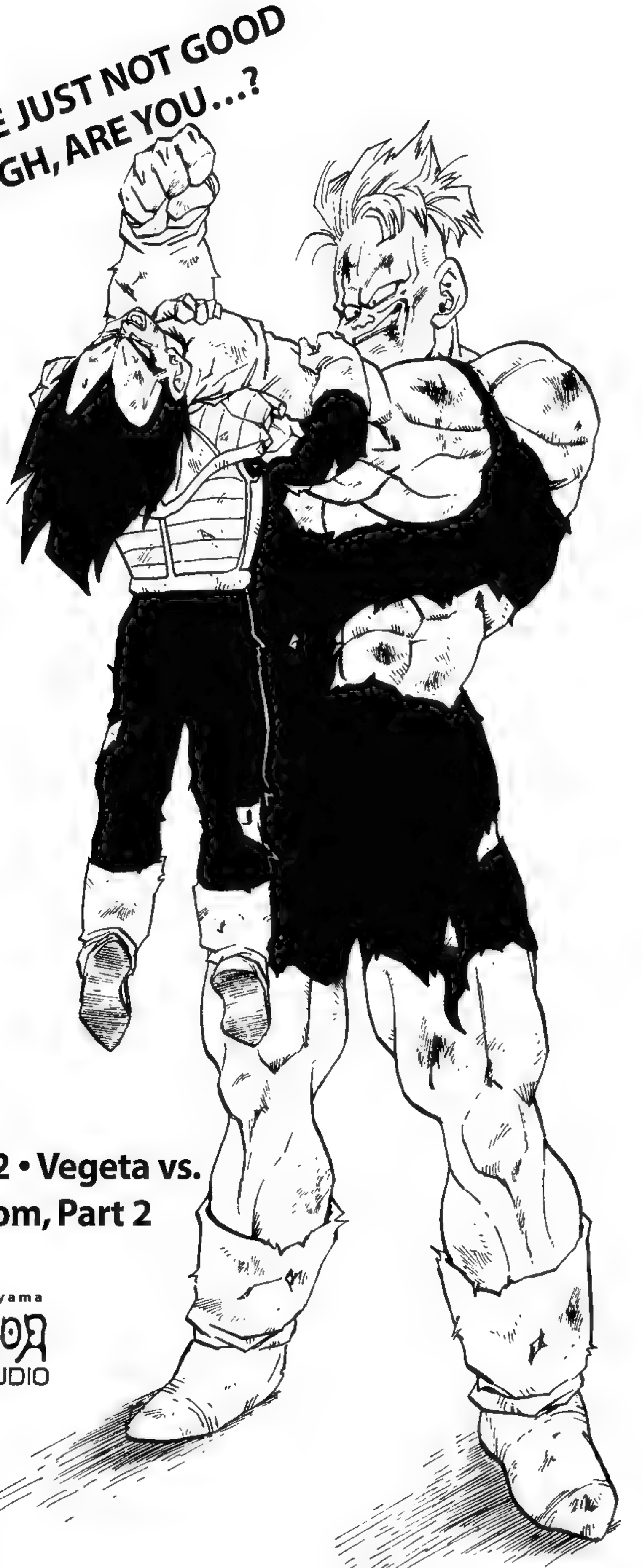
THIS FIGHT'LL REGISTER ON THE RICHTER SCALE...



Akira Toriyama

BIRD 鳥山明 STUDIO

DRAGON BALL



DBZ:82 • Vegeta vs. Reacoom, Part 2

Akira Toriyama
鳥山明
BIRD STUDIO


ZOOSH
BONC
NKH
!!!!!
DOM

GYAAAH !!!!

BLACK

G4G

YOU'RE BETTER'N I THOUGHT, DUDE !

BYABYABYA

HEY!! PRETTY SWEET !!

DYADYADYA

TAH!

GONK

WOKKA WOKKA

BOK BOK

HWAH

BWAK

PSHOOO

HYAAHHH!!!

VWSSSH

SPEED UP !!!

OOP !!!


!!
YOO-
HOO.


BLOOSH
BWA

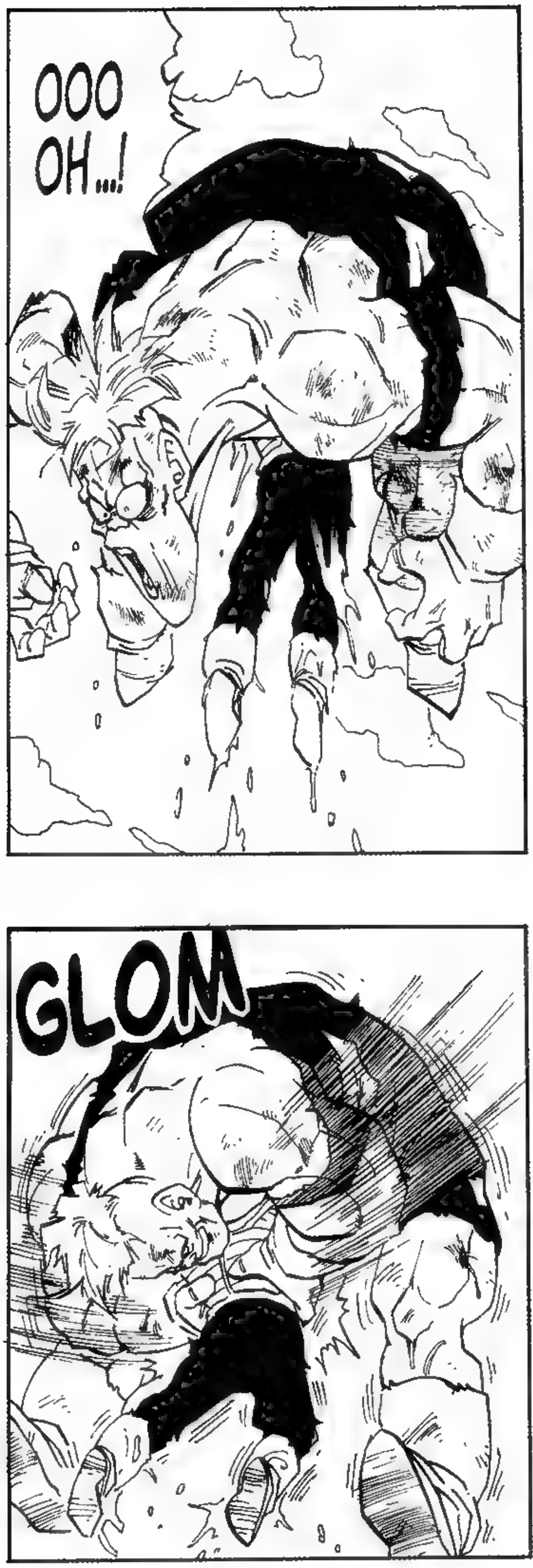
SLUSSSHHH

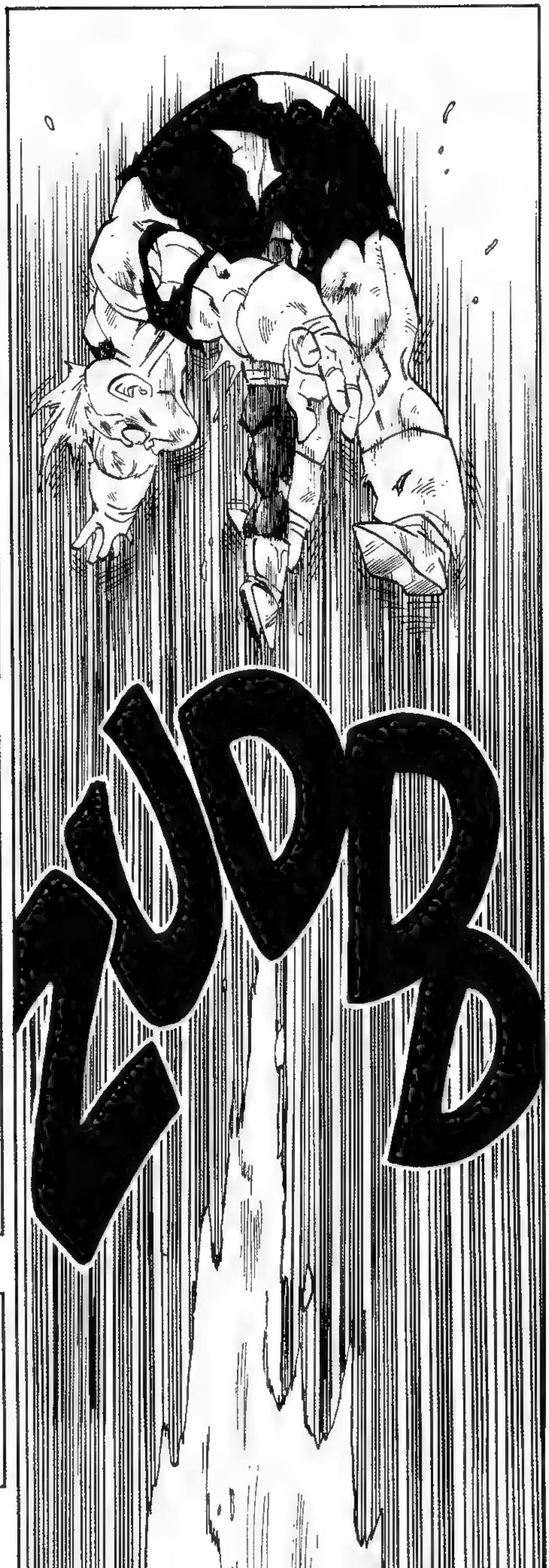
HEE HEE HEE... !

UH... UH...!

BOOM

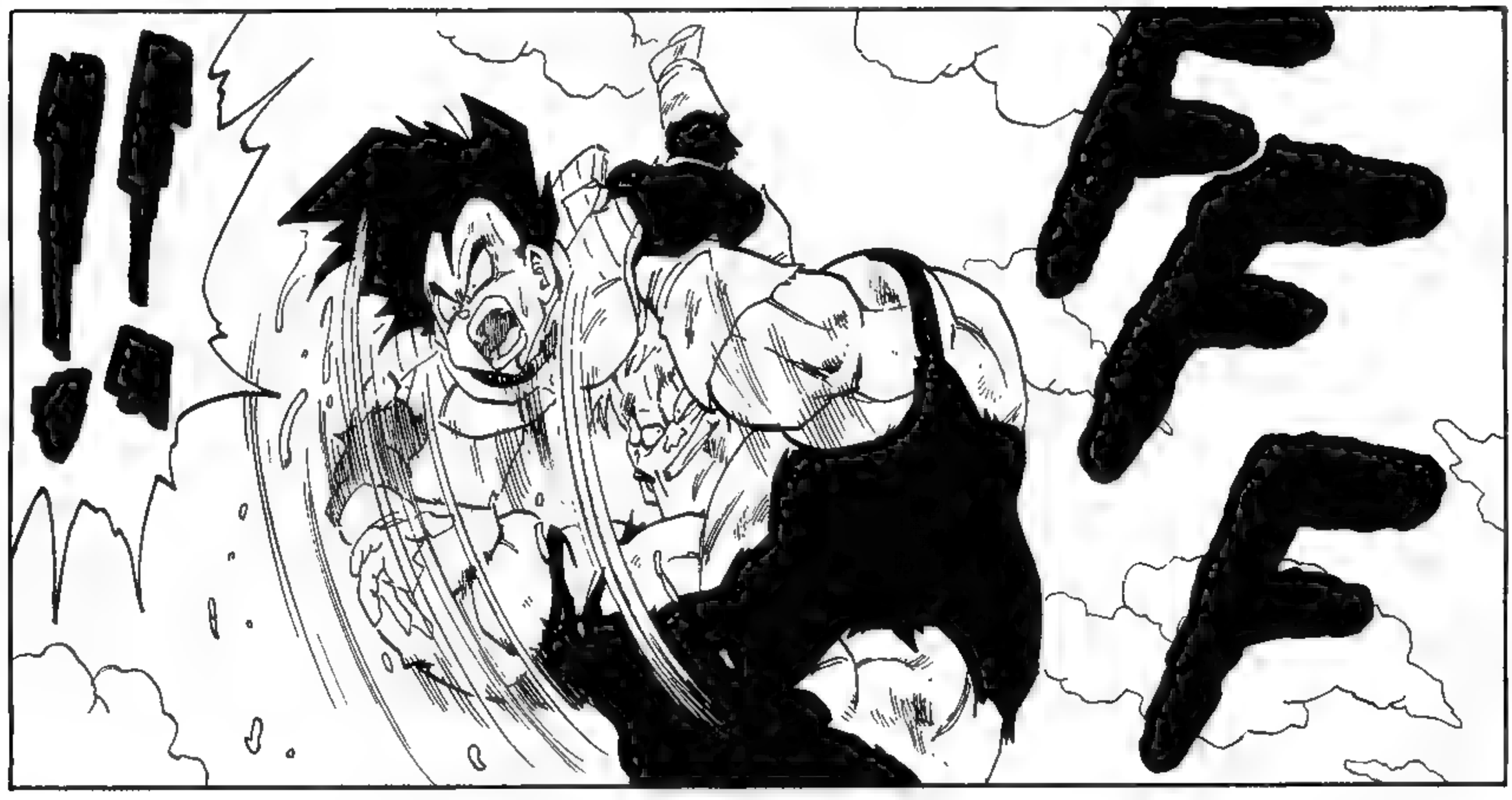
PSHOOOO


OOO
OH..!


ZUB

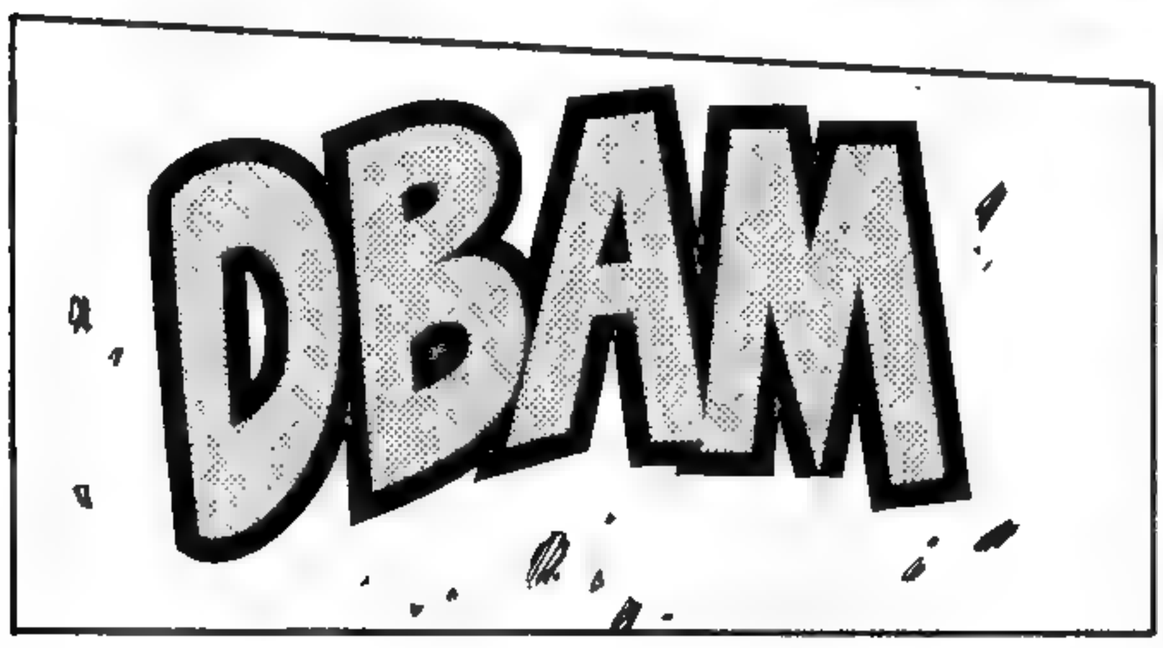
GLOM


HEH




NG...
GHAAAA...
!!!


Vooom


DBAM

ZOOOP

DUDE! YOU OKAY?!

YOU DIDN'T, LIKE, DIE ALREADY, DIDJA?

OH

BL

DOMF

ZUMM

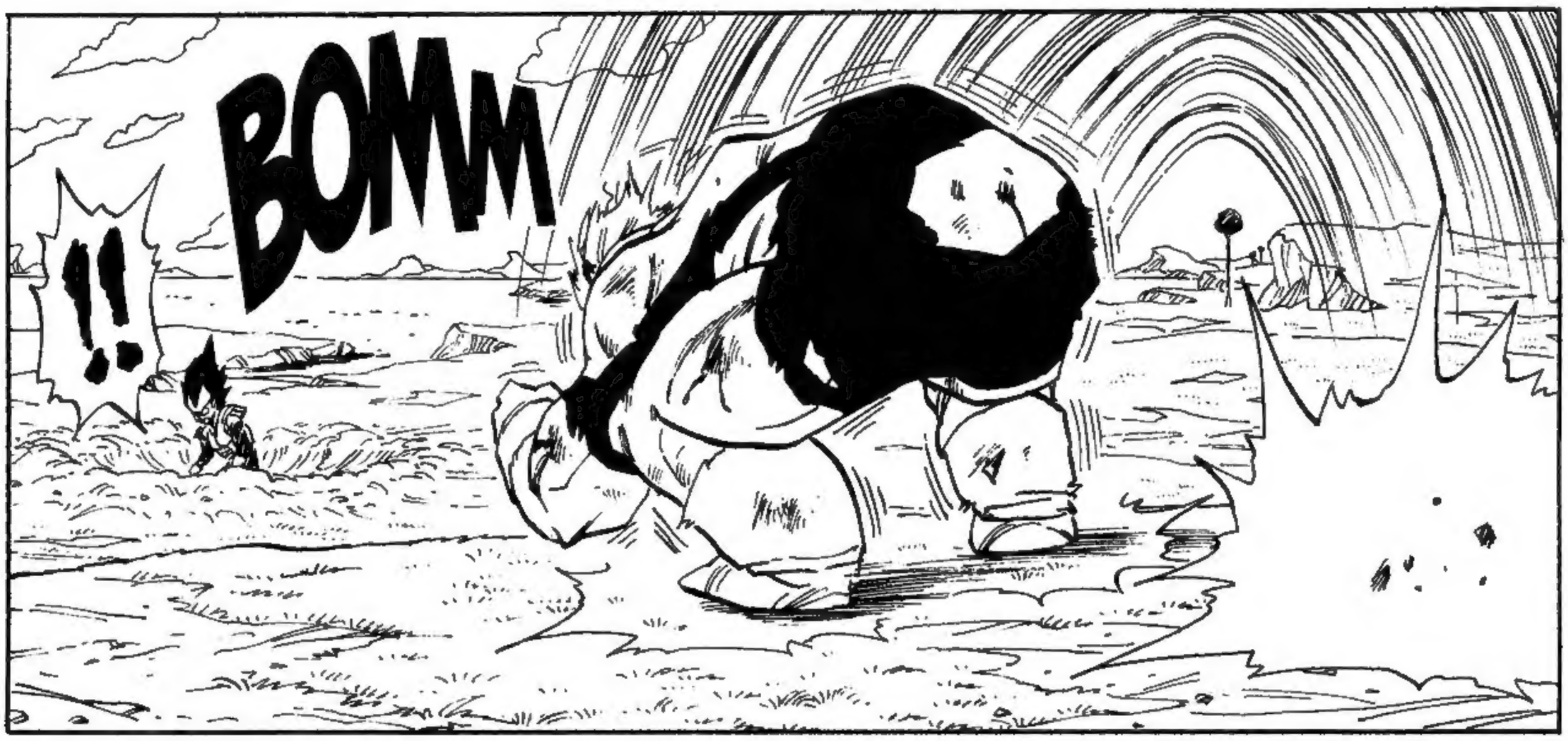
...H-HE DID IT...?

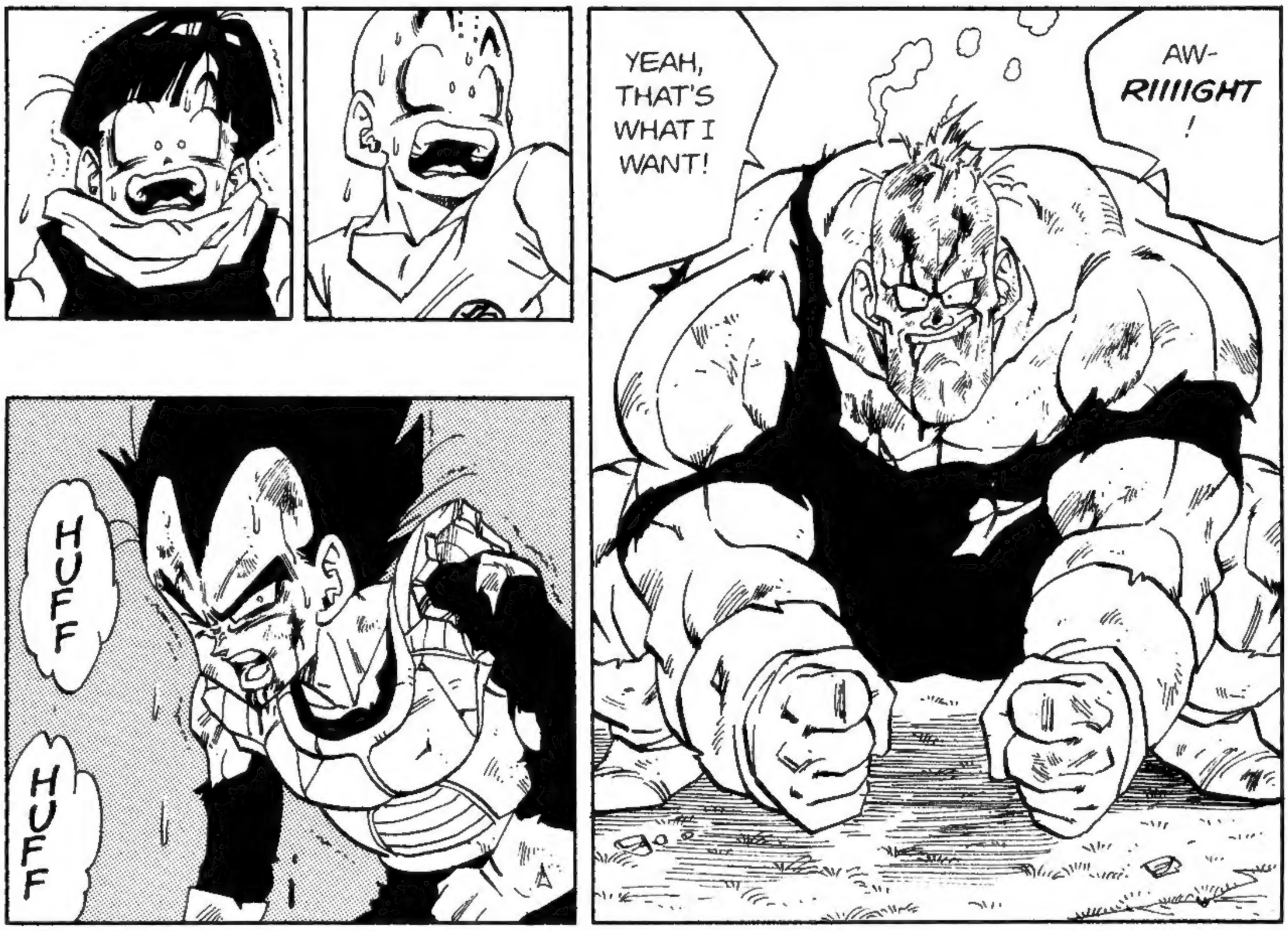
HUFF

HUFF

NNN...

UHH...


!!
BOMM


YEAH, THAT'S WHAT I WANT!
AW- RIIIIGHT !
HUFF
HUFF


SUCH A NARCIS- SIST...
HEH HEH HEH...

I NEVER...DREAMED...
THE M...MIGHTY VEGETA...
WOULD BE TREATED....
LIKE A PLAYTHING....

I'M...
I'M
GOING
TO
DIE...!

OR DO I HAVE TO, YOU KNOW, LIKE, JUST KILL YOU? YOU KNOW?

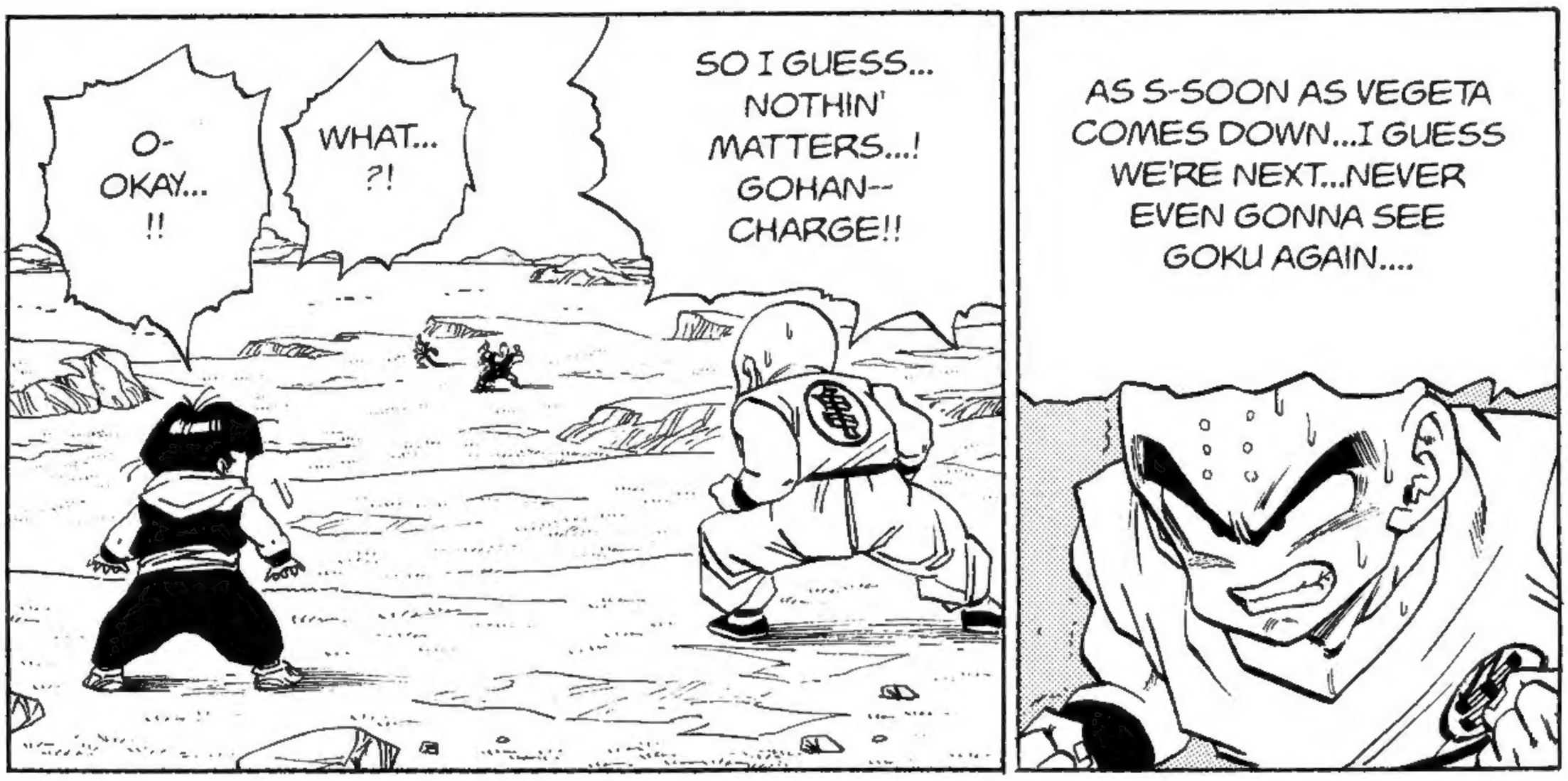
DON'T YOU HAVE ANYTHING WITH A LITTLE MORE "OOMPH" ?

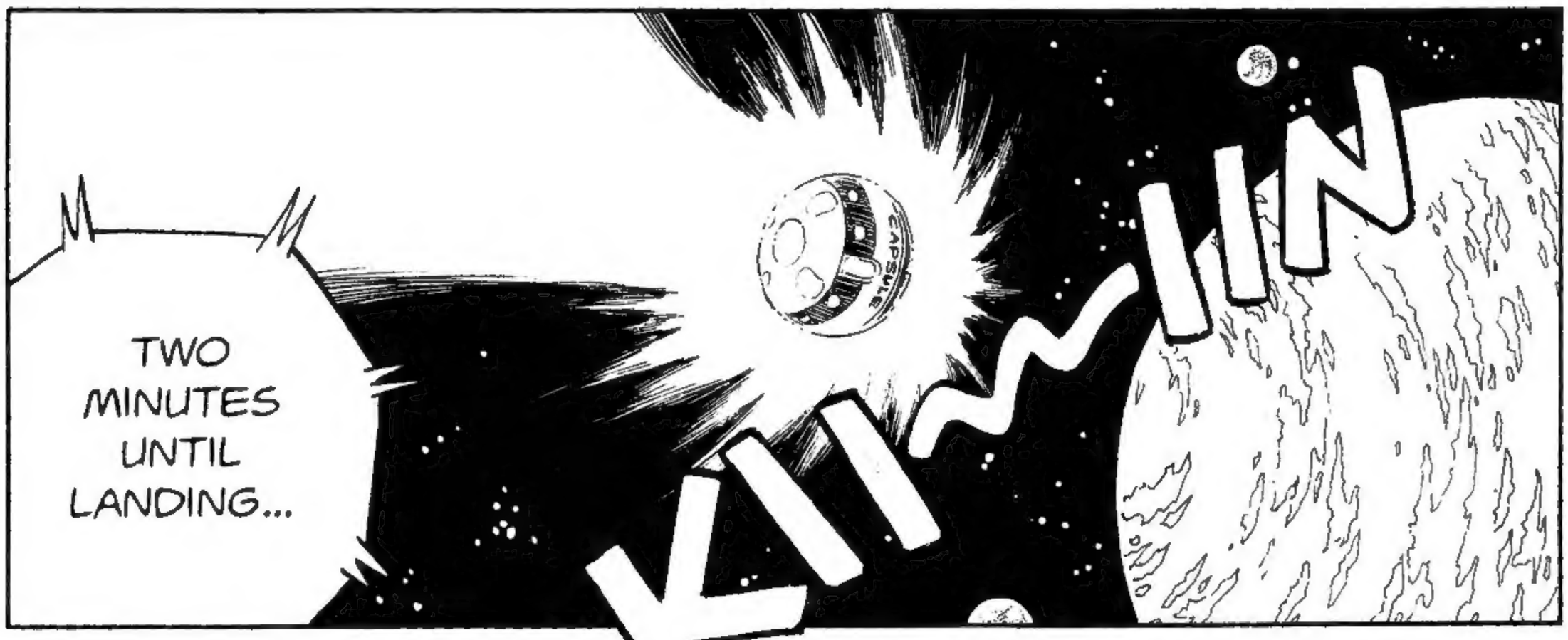
VASH

HYAH !!!

HERE IT COMES !!!









NEXT: The Last Stand!!!